

A watercolor illustration of a diverse group of young people, likely students, in a crowd. The style is soft and painterly. In the center, a young man with dark hair looks directly at the viewer with a neutral expression. To his right, a young woman with short dark hair and glasses looks slightly away. Below the central man, another young man is shown from the chest up, looking down with his hands covering his face in a gesture of distress or despair. In the bottom right corner, two young men are laughing heartily, their heads tilted back. Other faces in the crowd show various expressions of concern, curiosity, and calmness. The background is a mix of soft green and blue washes, suggesting an outdoor setting like a school courtyard.

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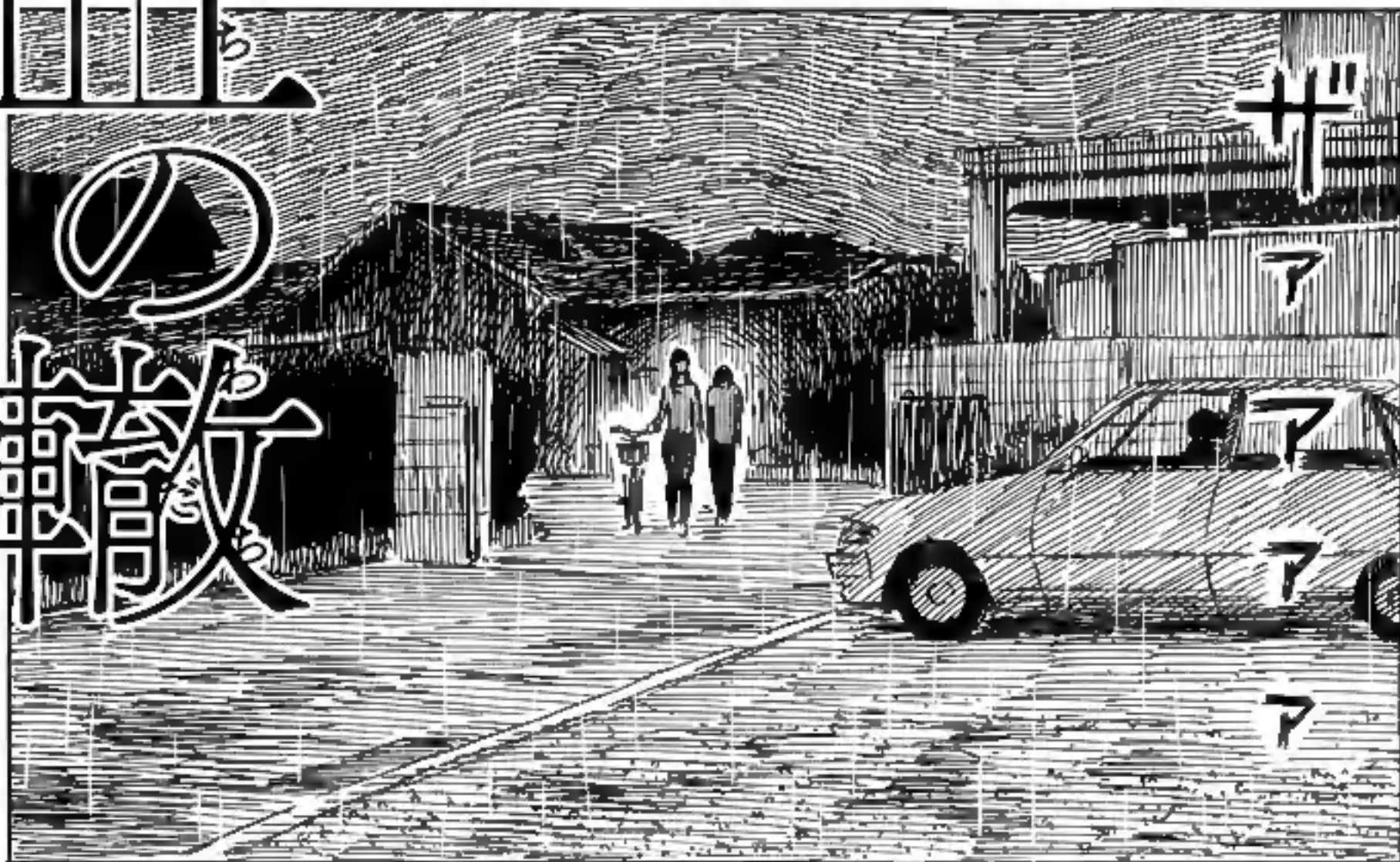
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ALL HE CAN DO NOW IS BE LED BY HAND BACK TO HIS MOTHER'S DEN...

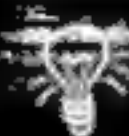


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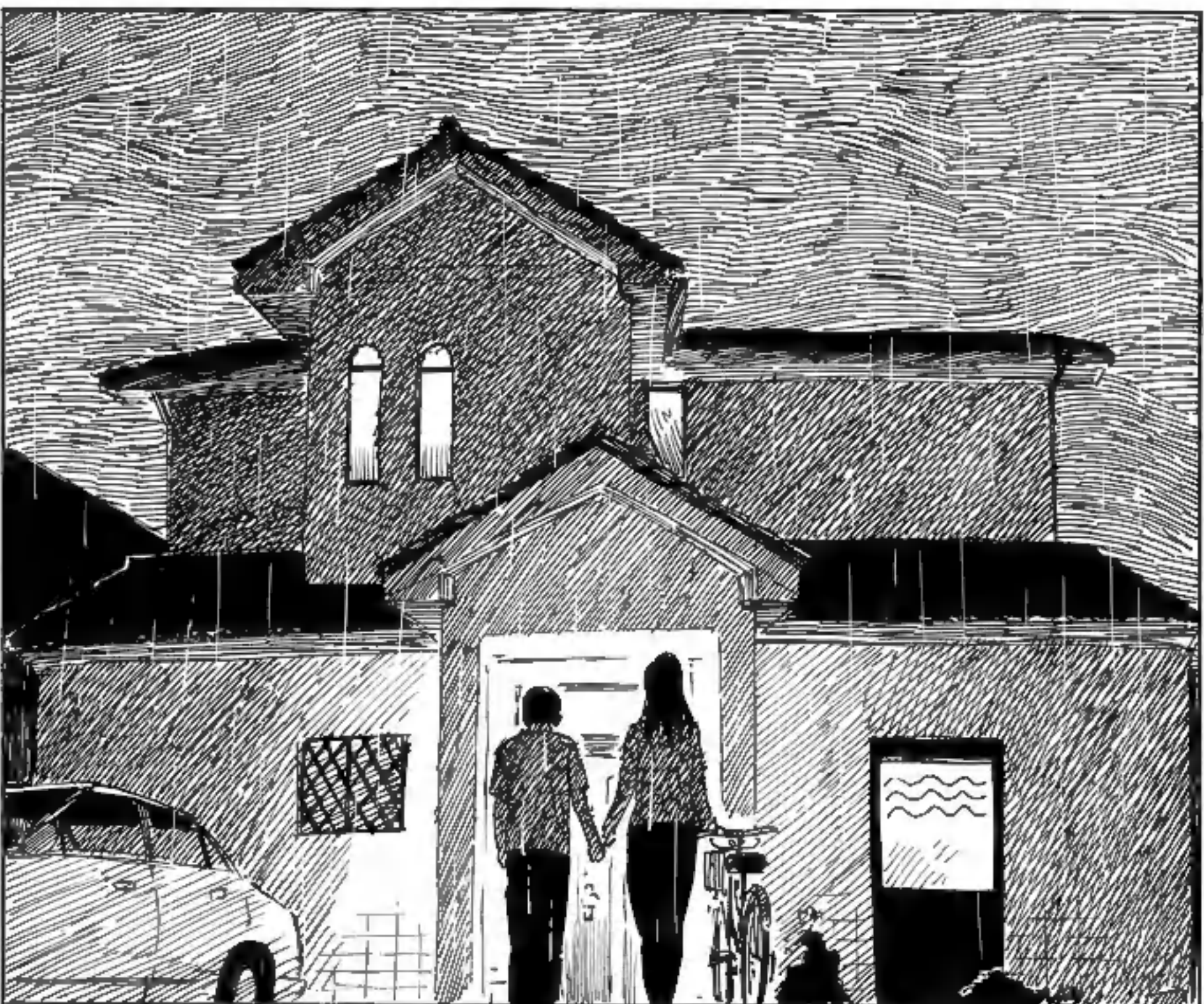
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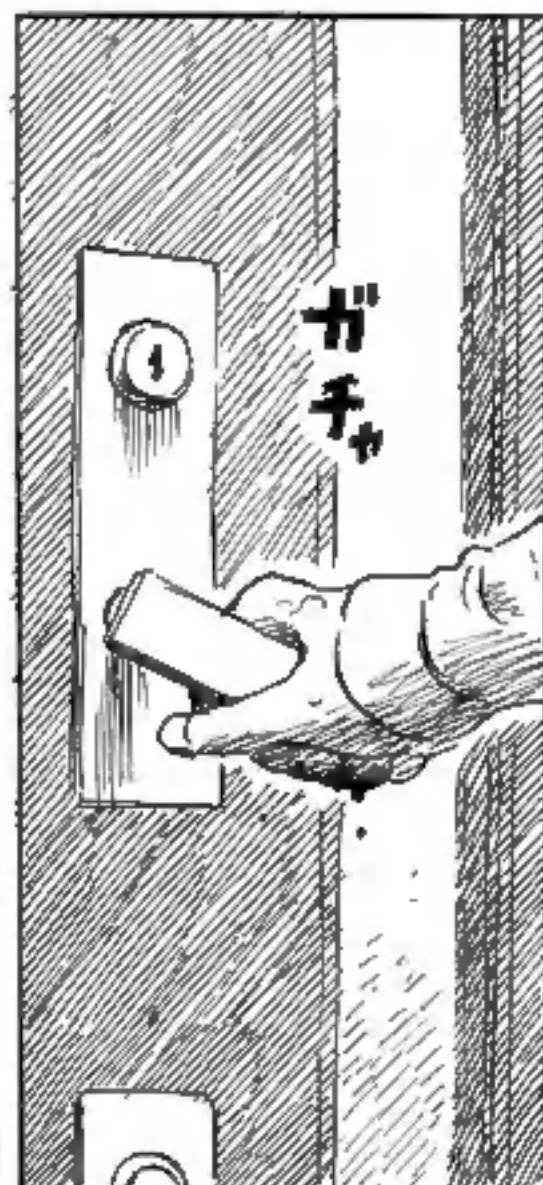
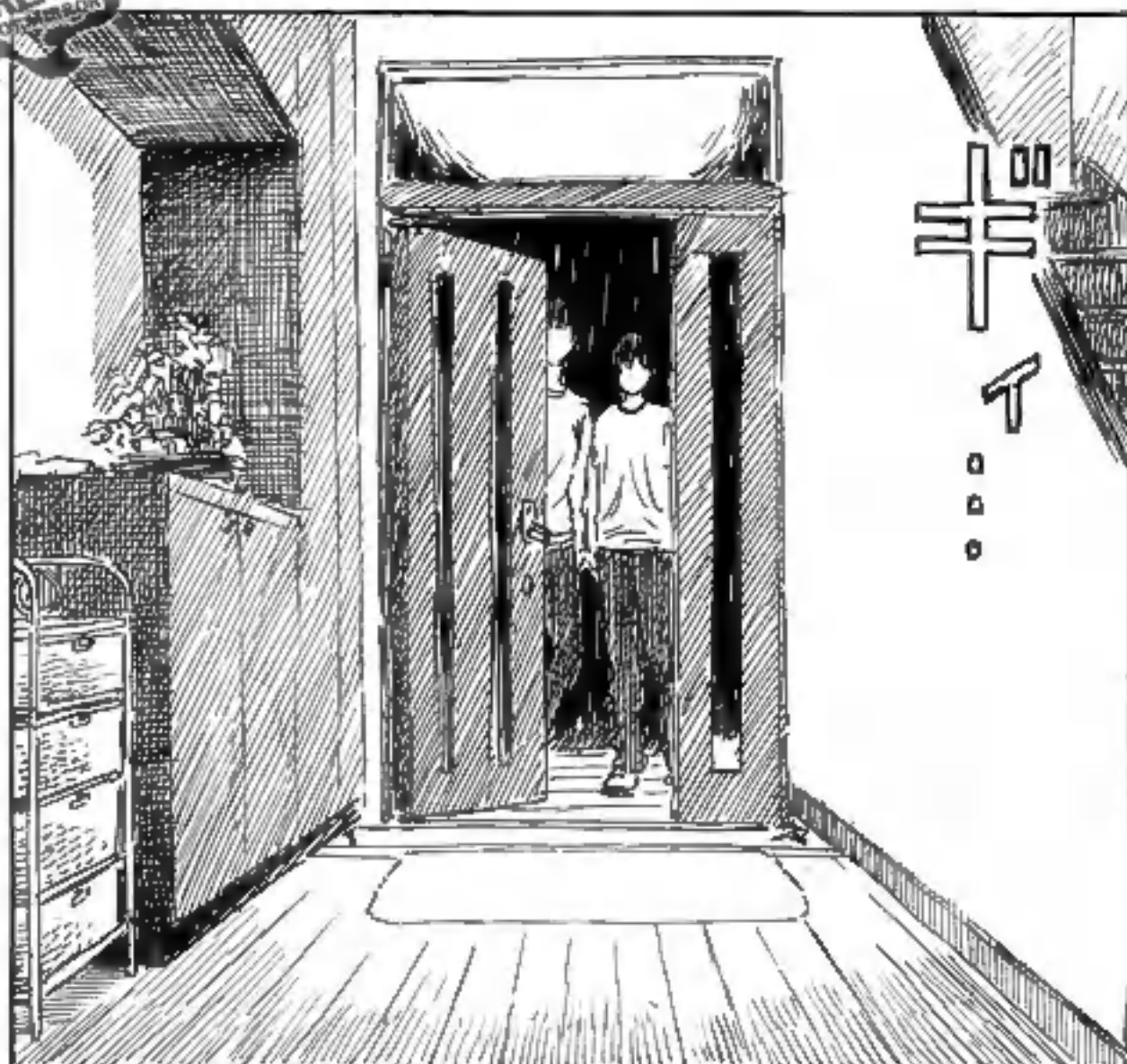
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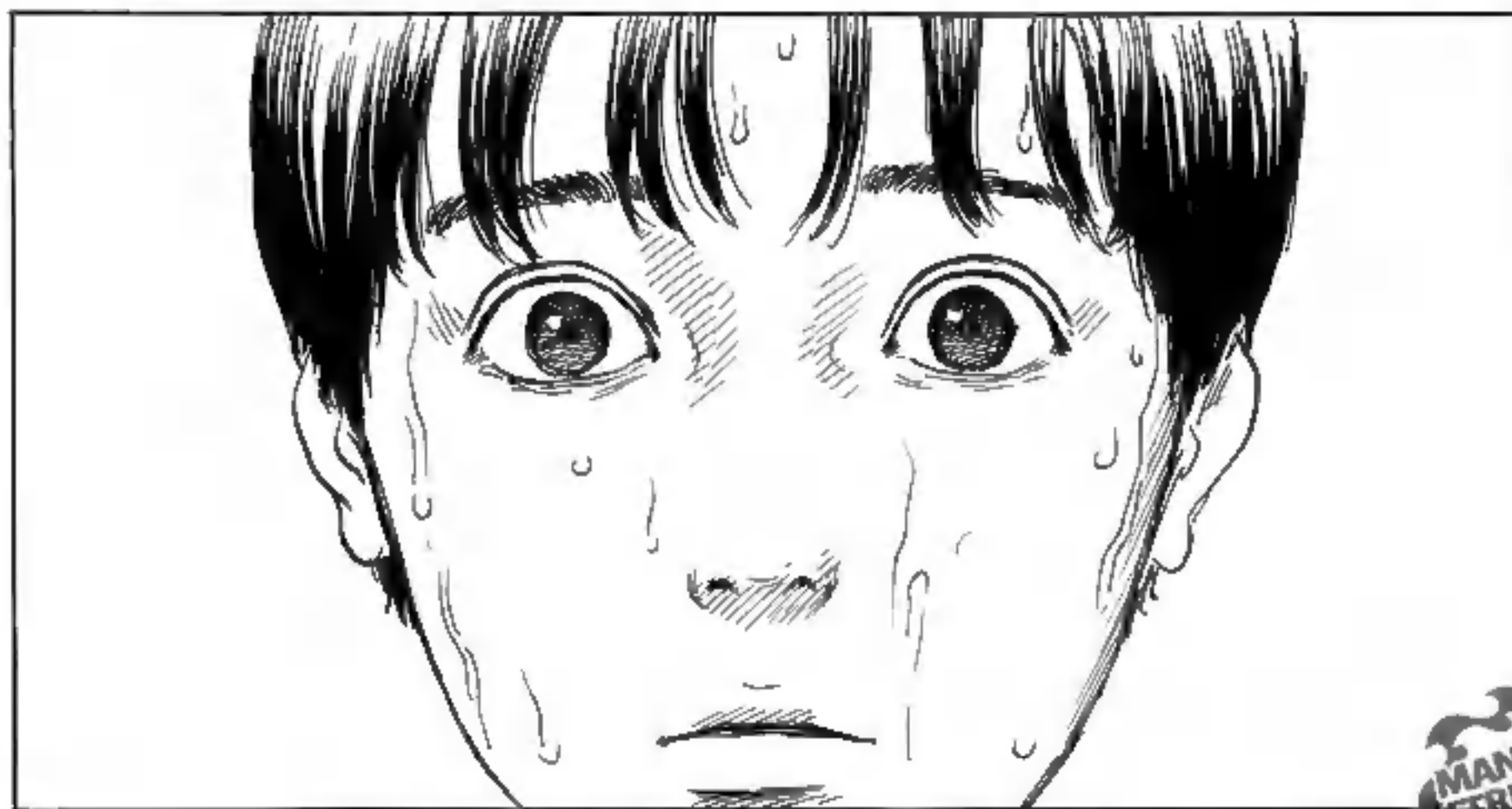
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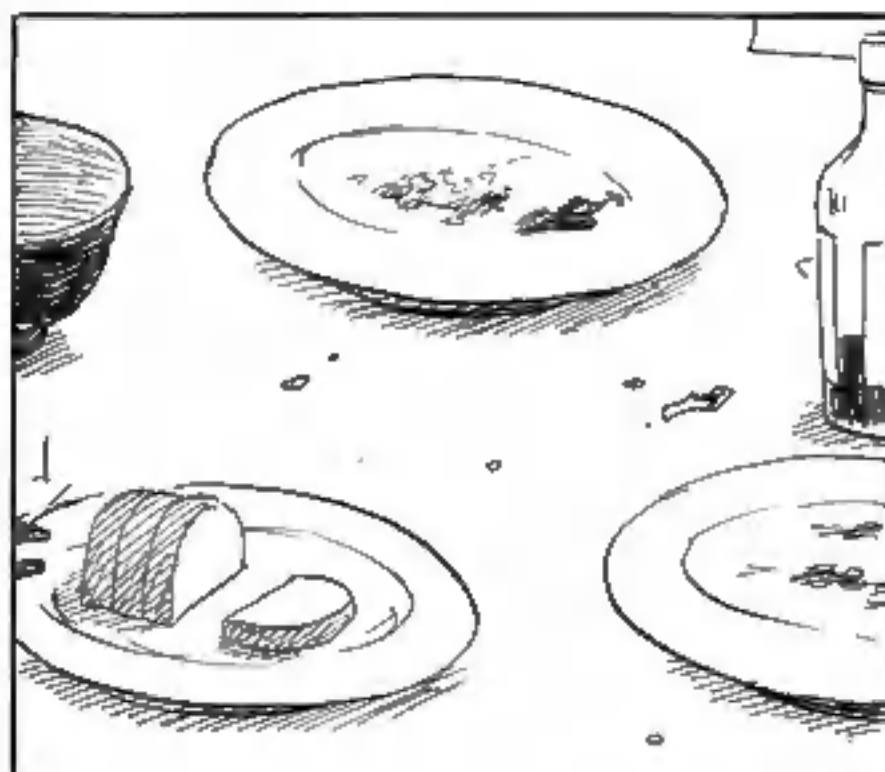
SEI BROKE IT OFF WITH FUKIISHI, APOLOGIZED TO HIS MOTHER AND WENT BACK HOME WITH HER... BUT WILL ALL BE FORGIVEN?







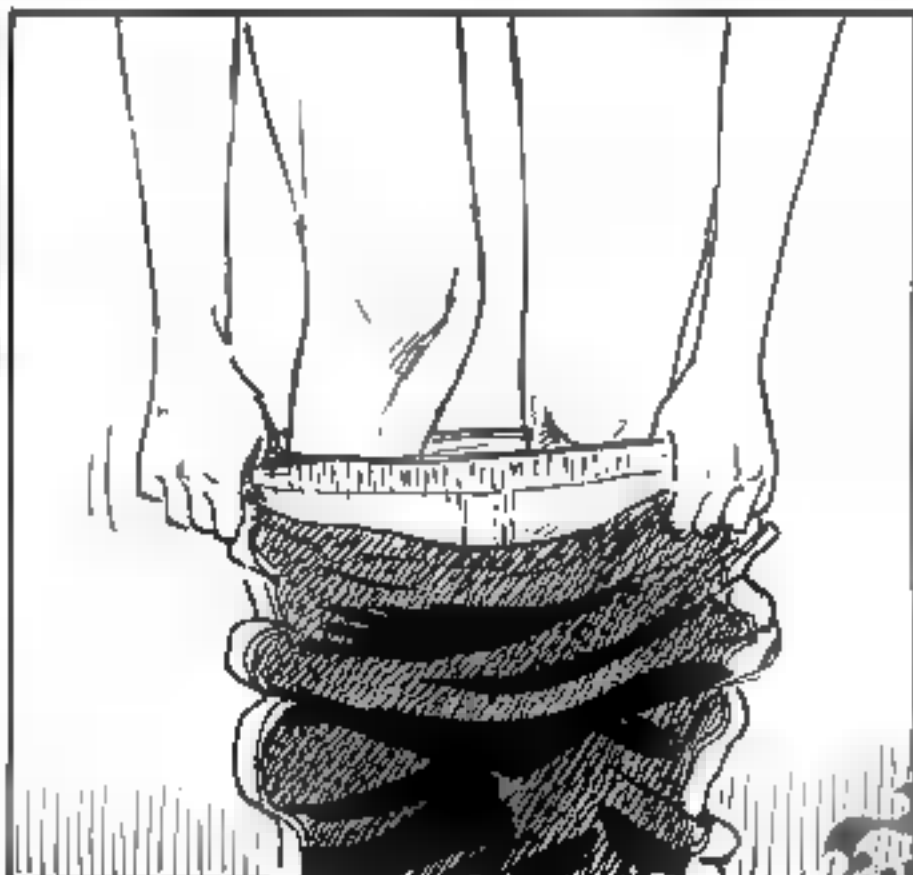
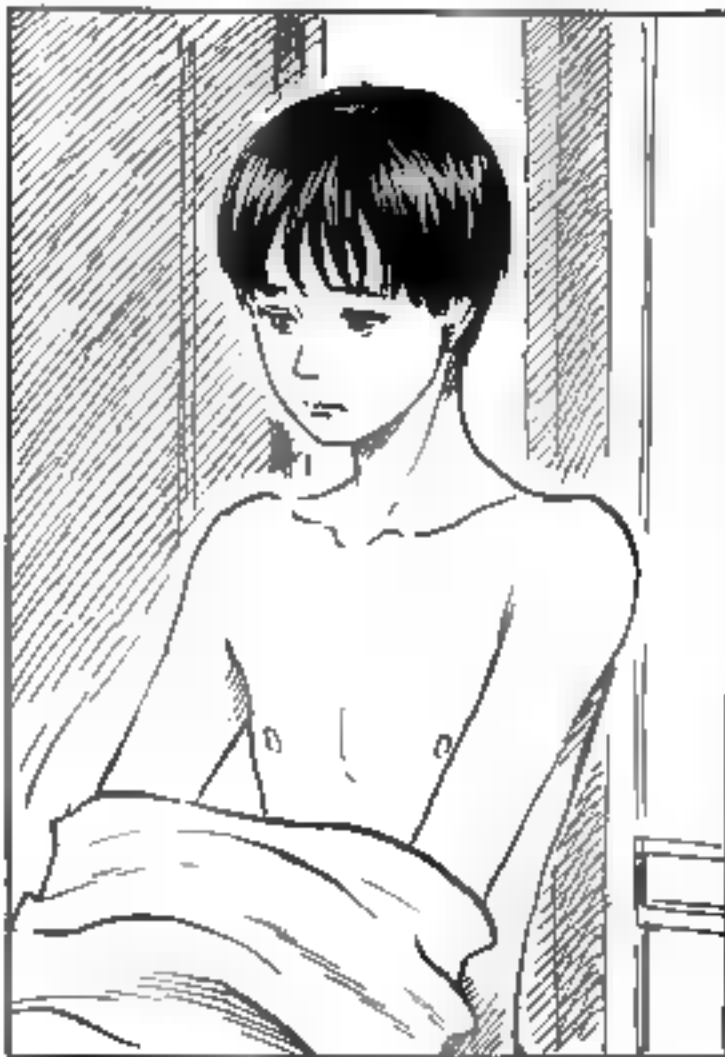
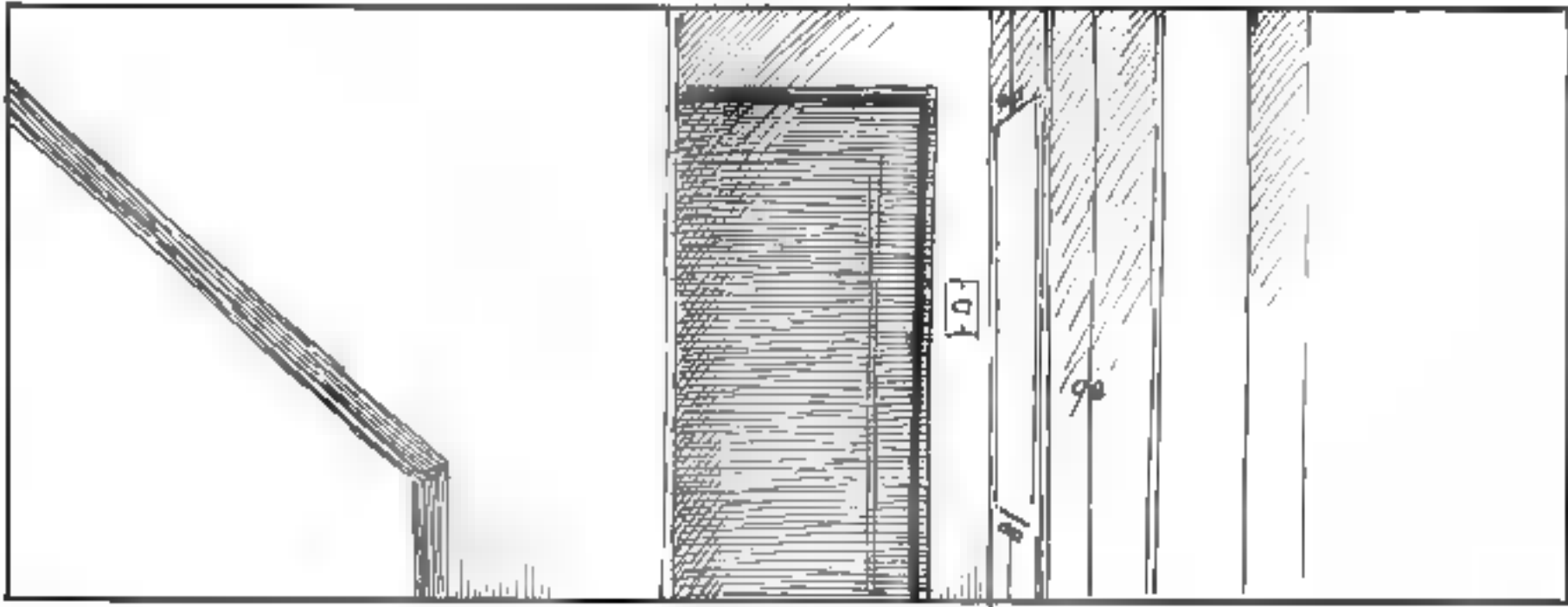


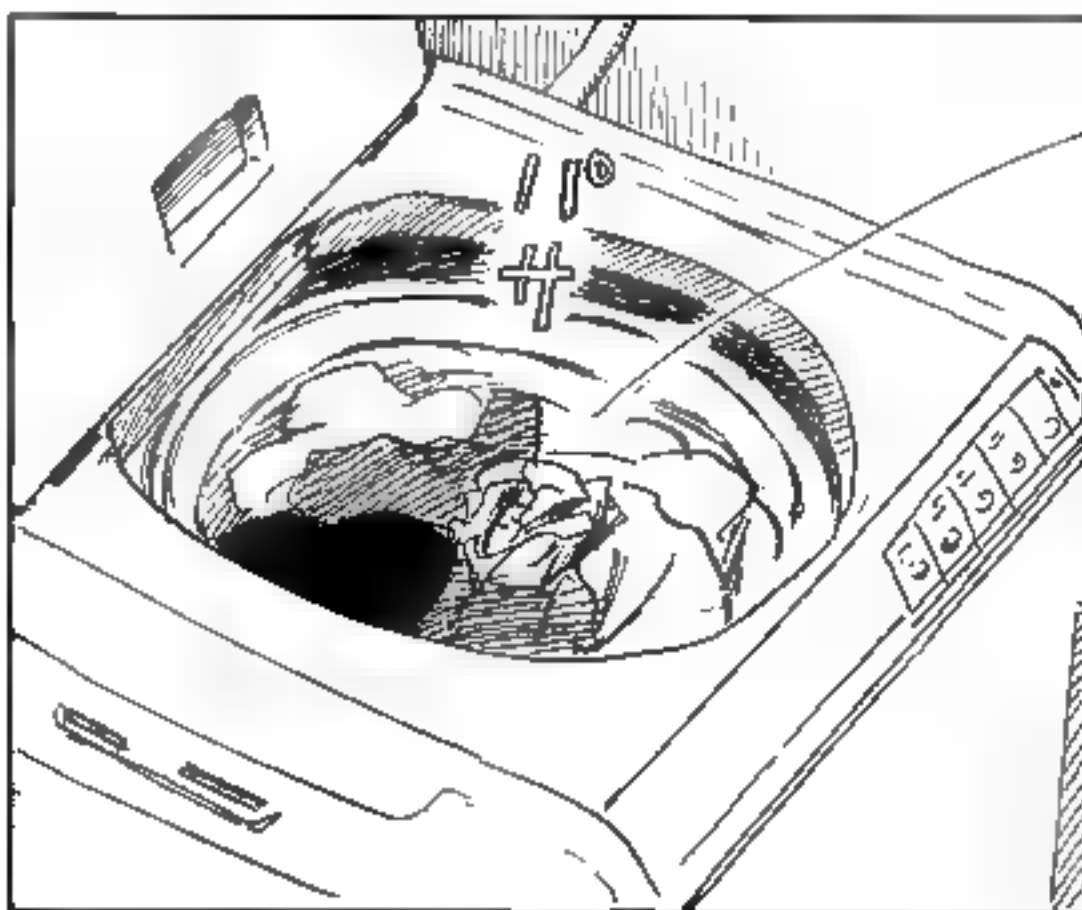
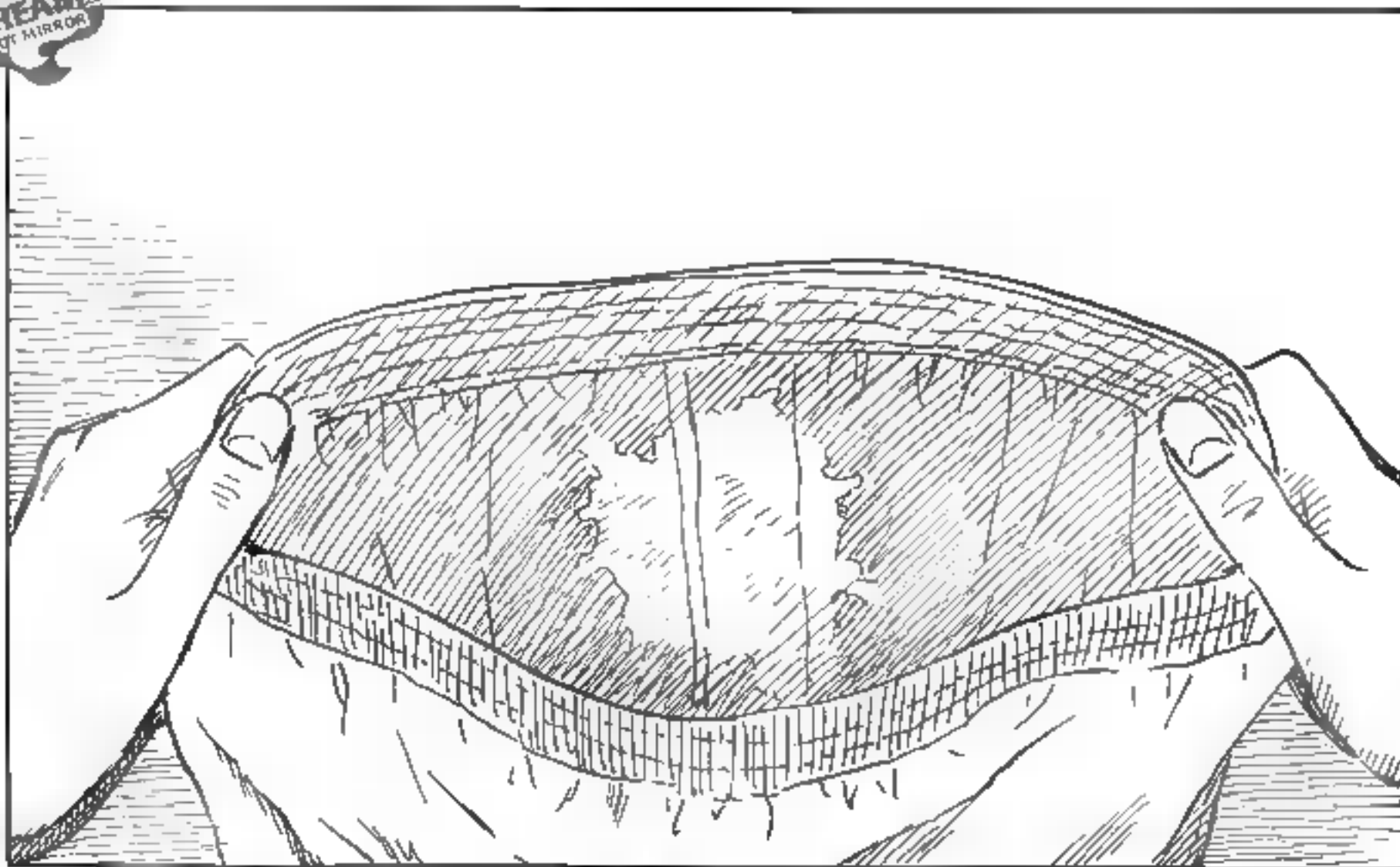


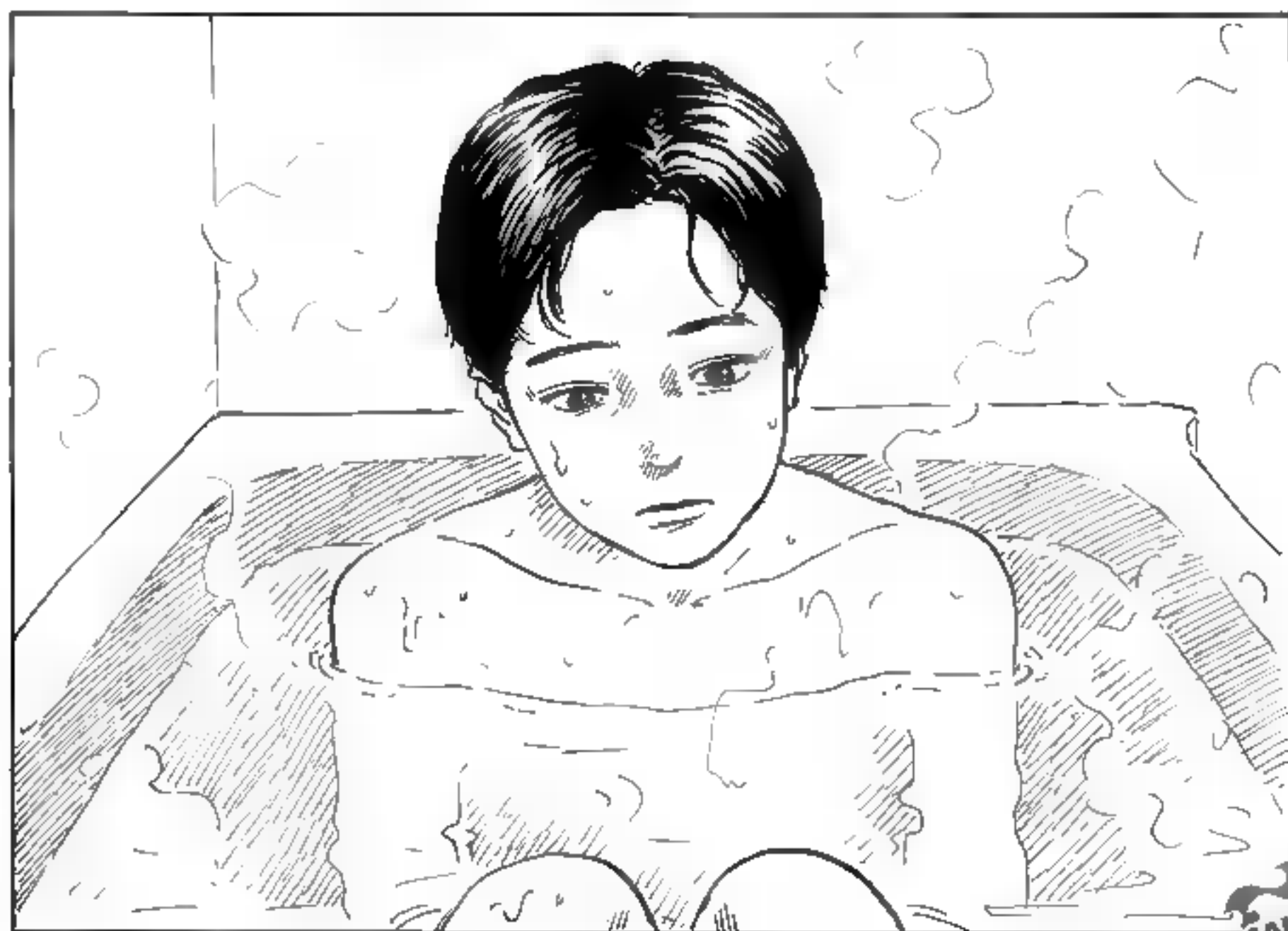
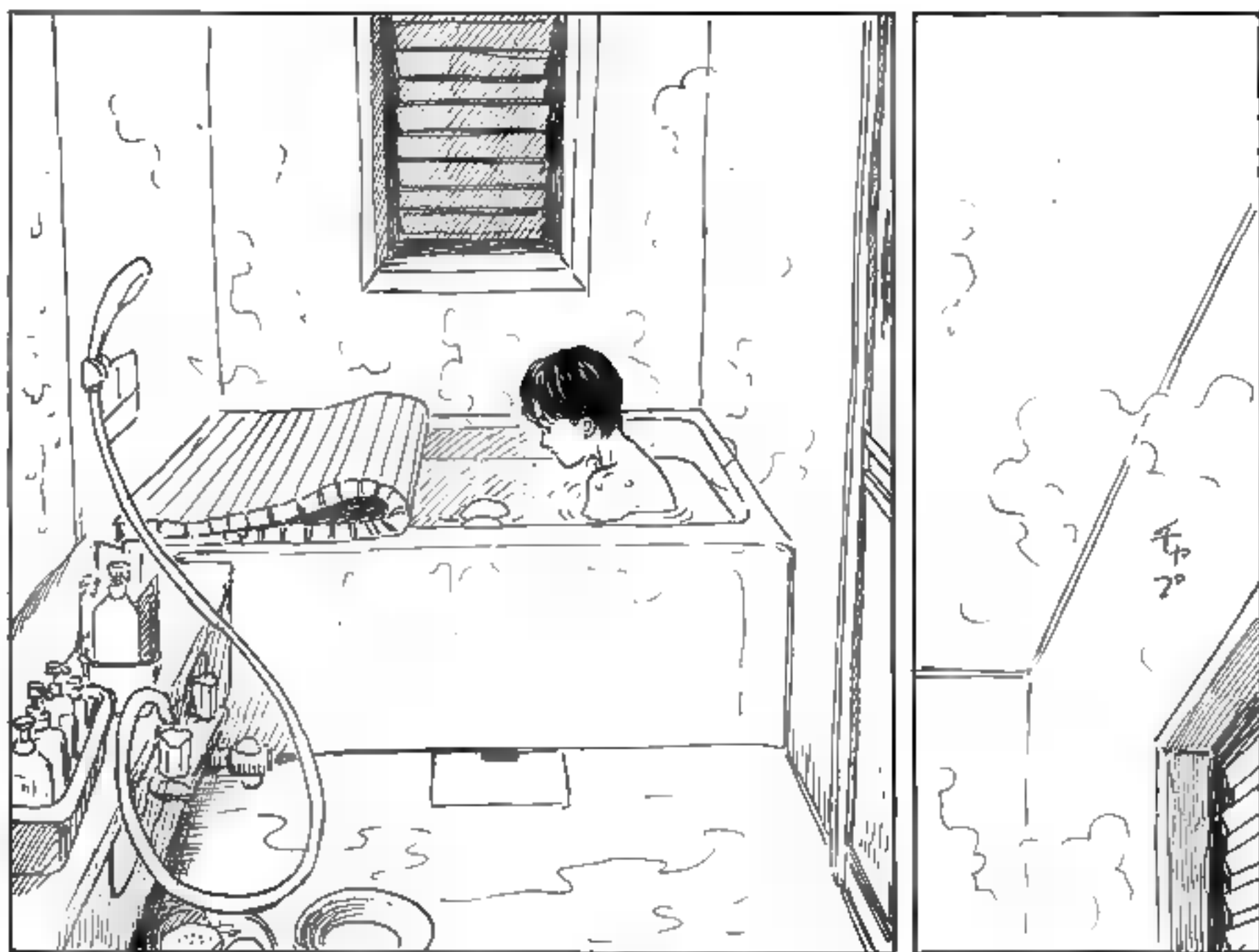


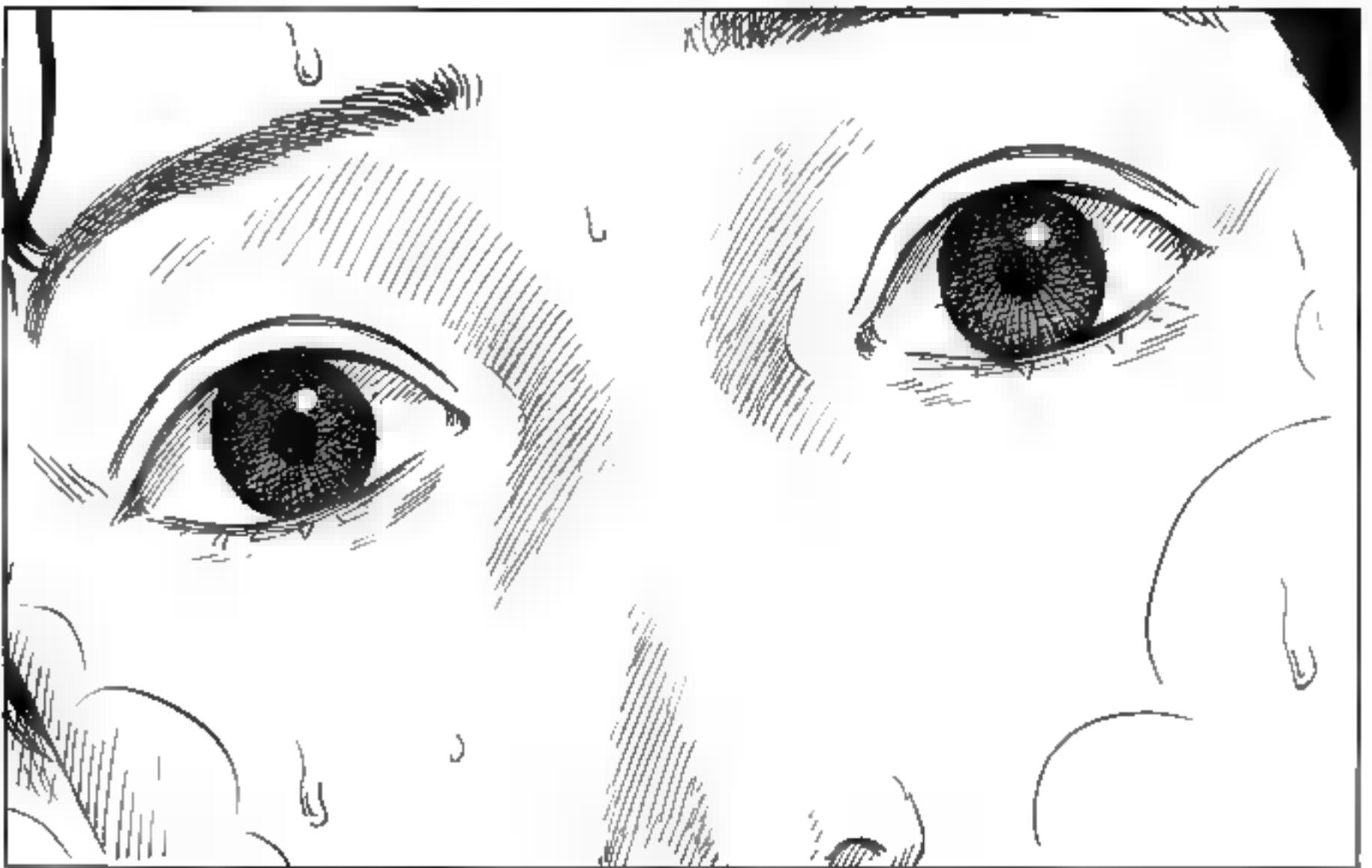
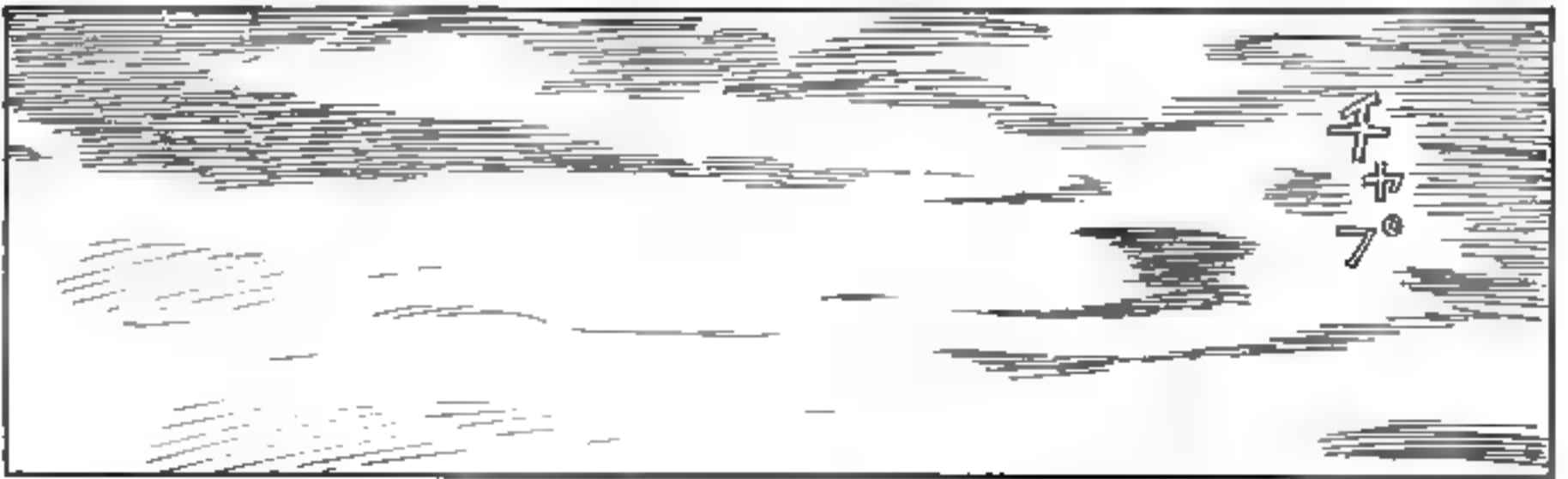
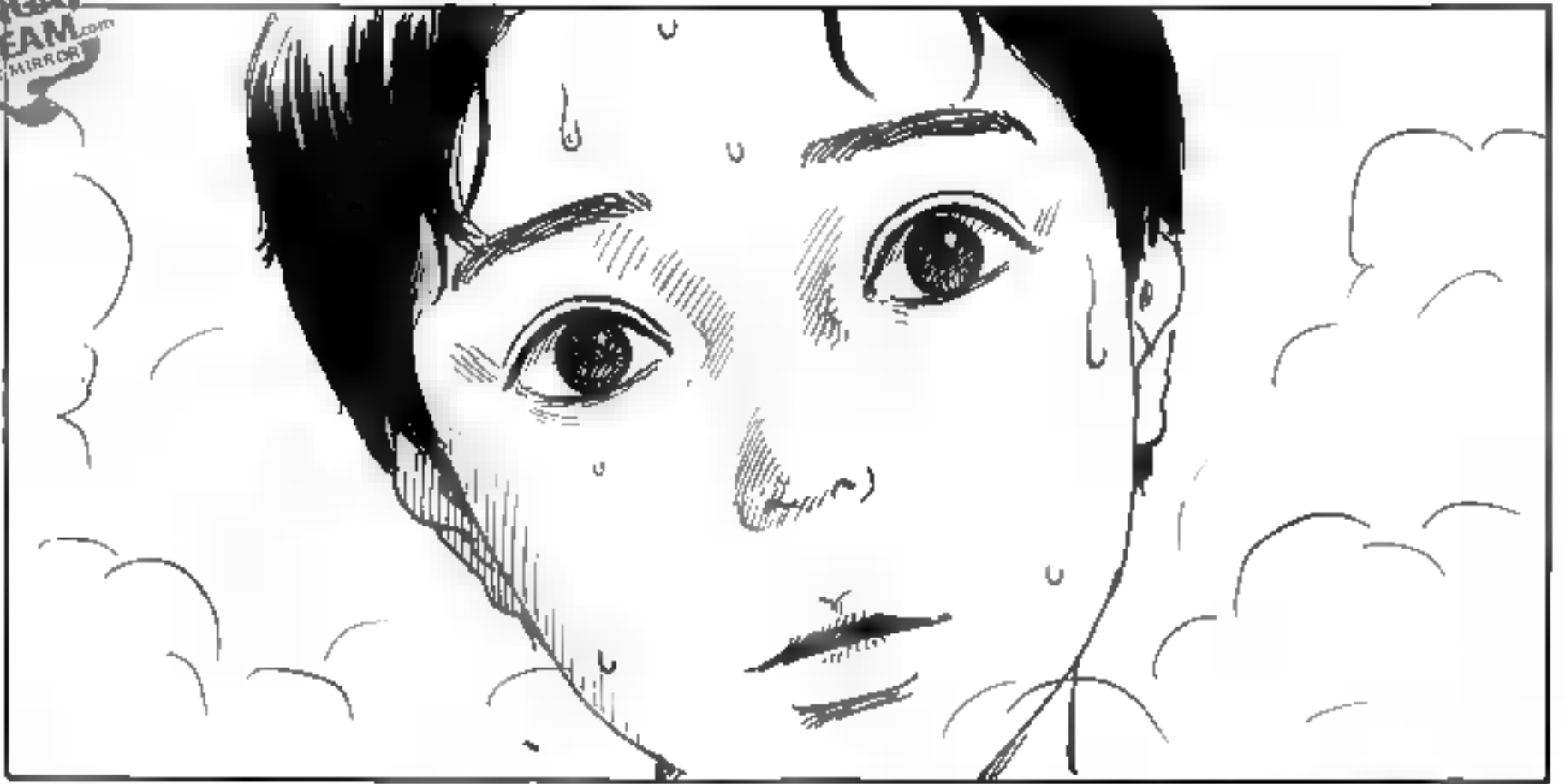


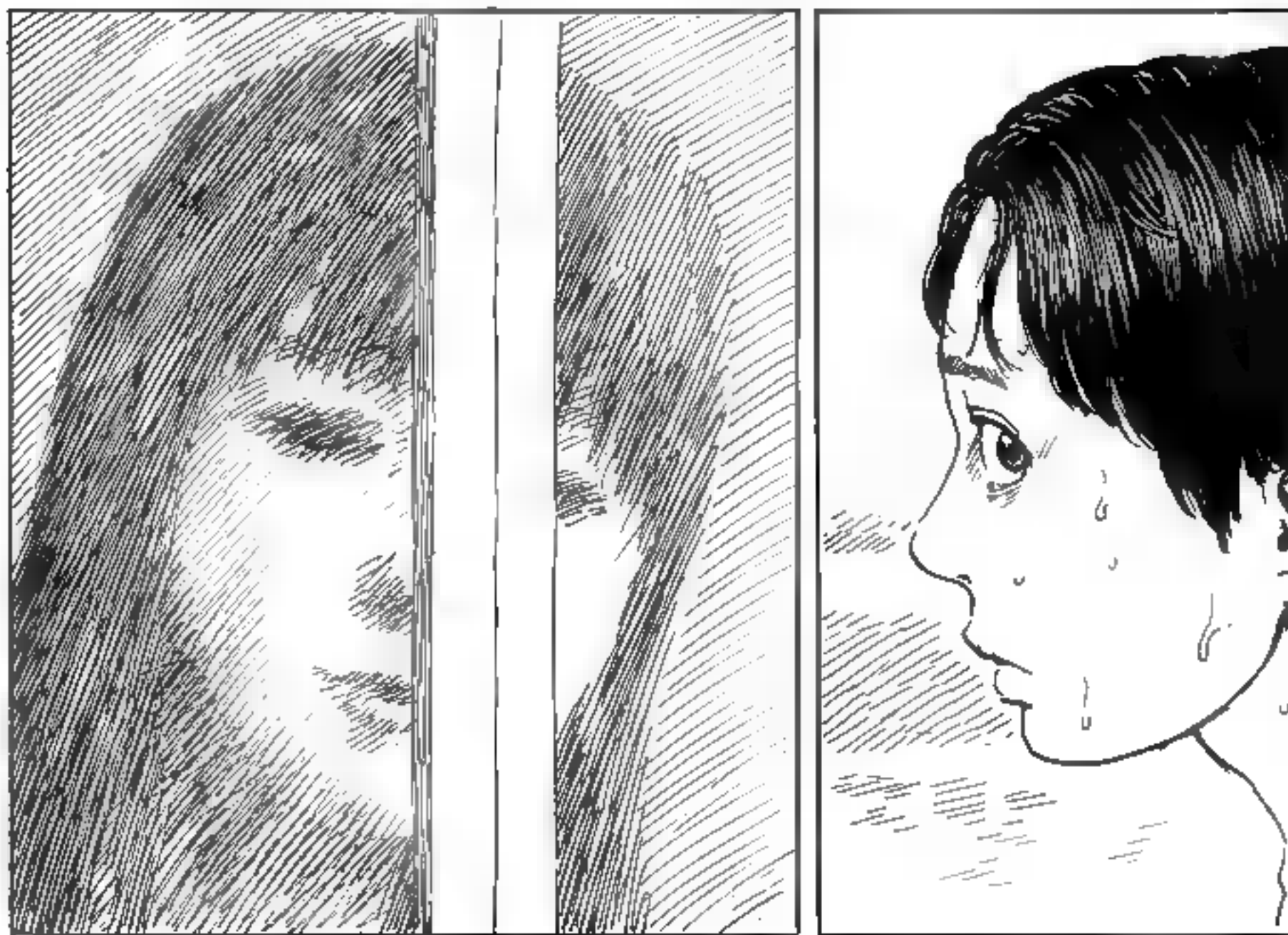
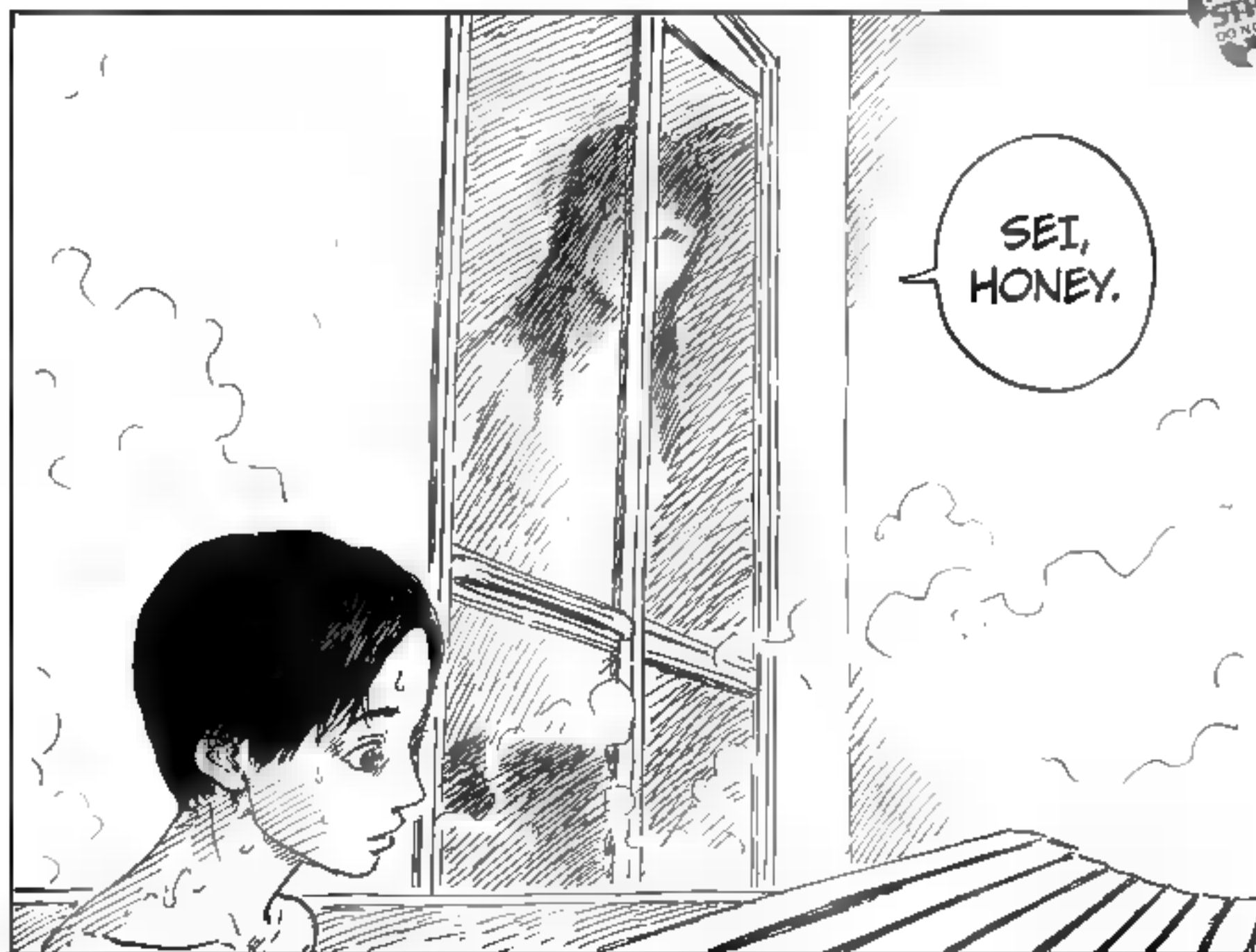


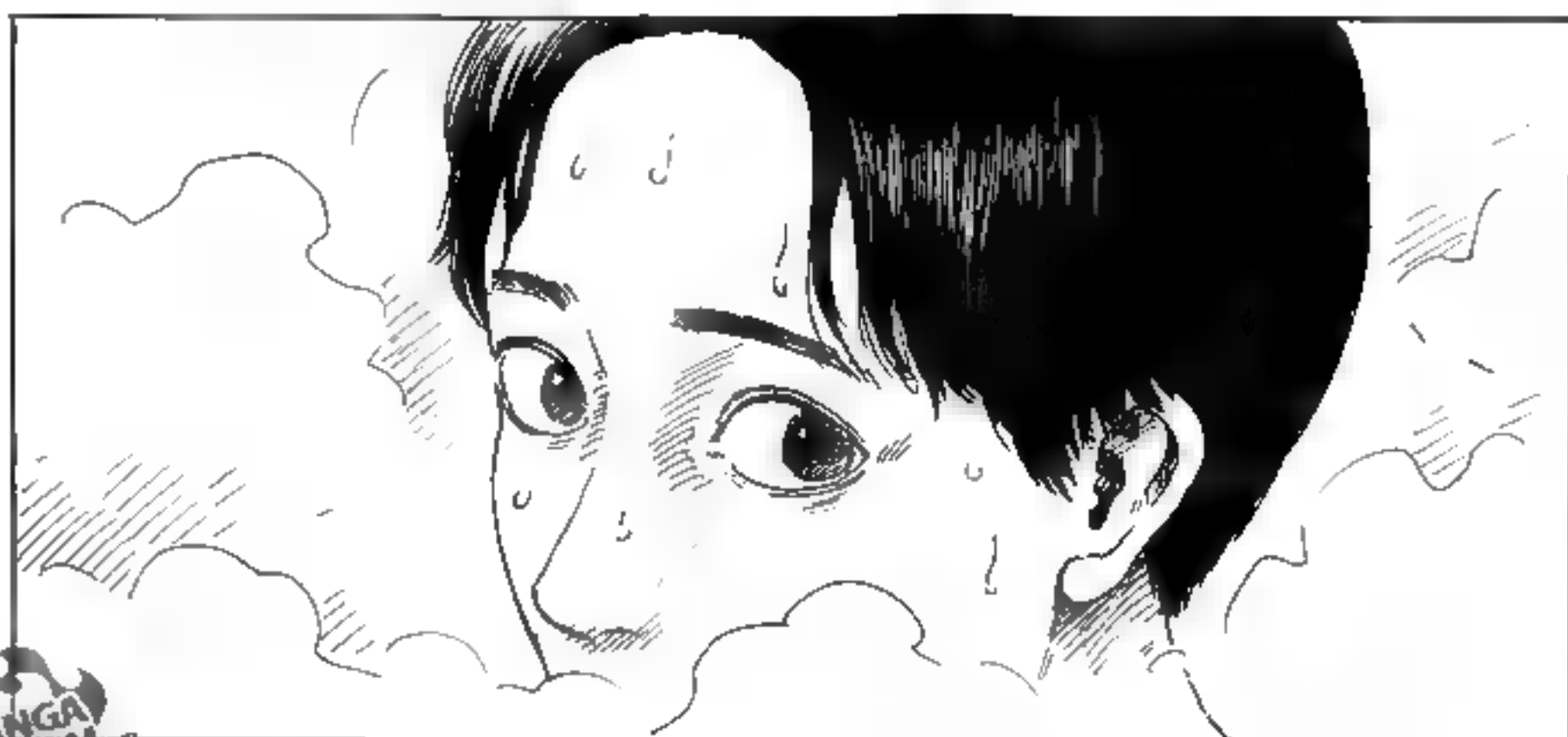
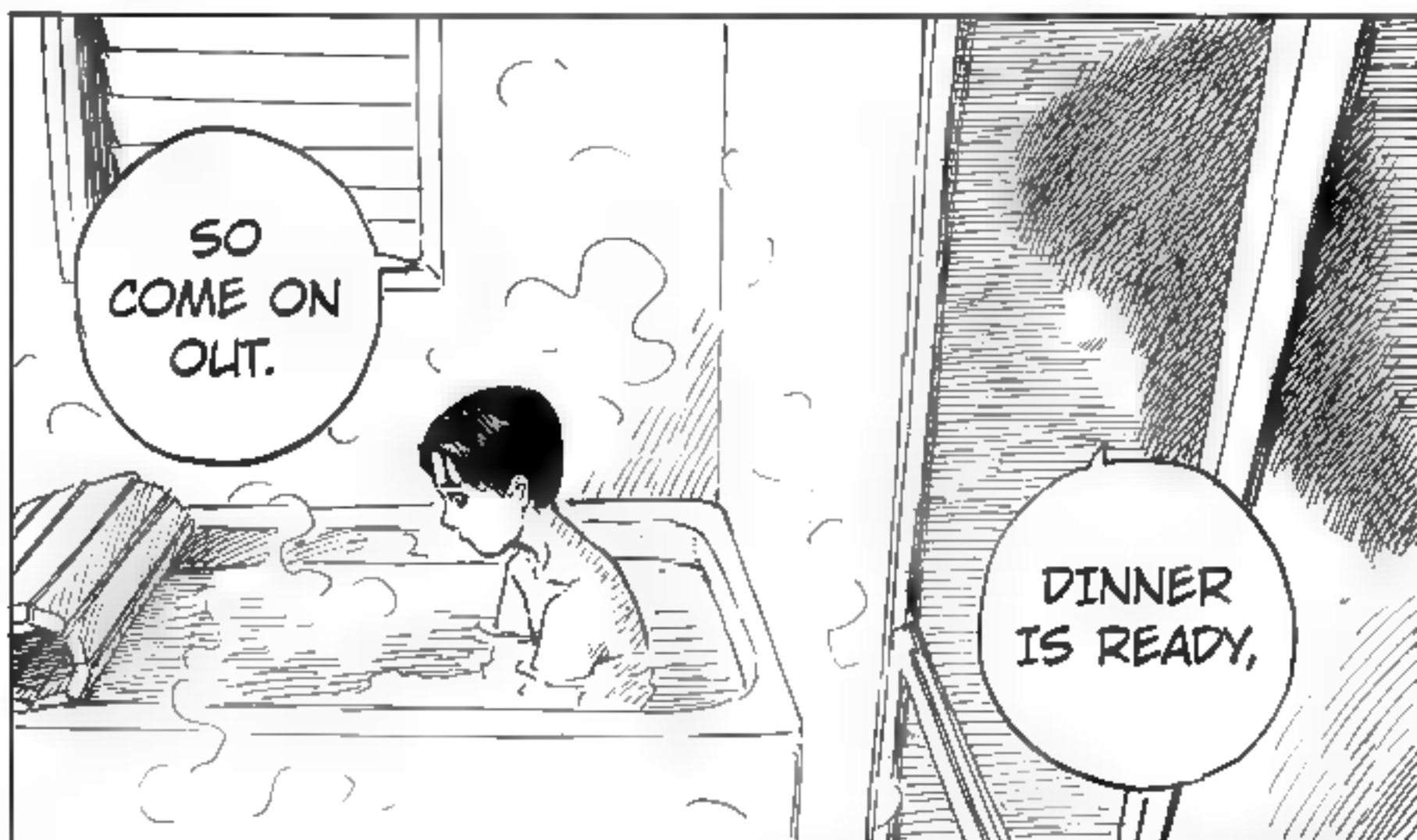


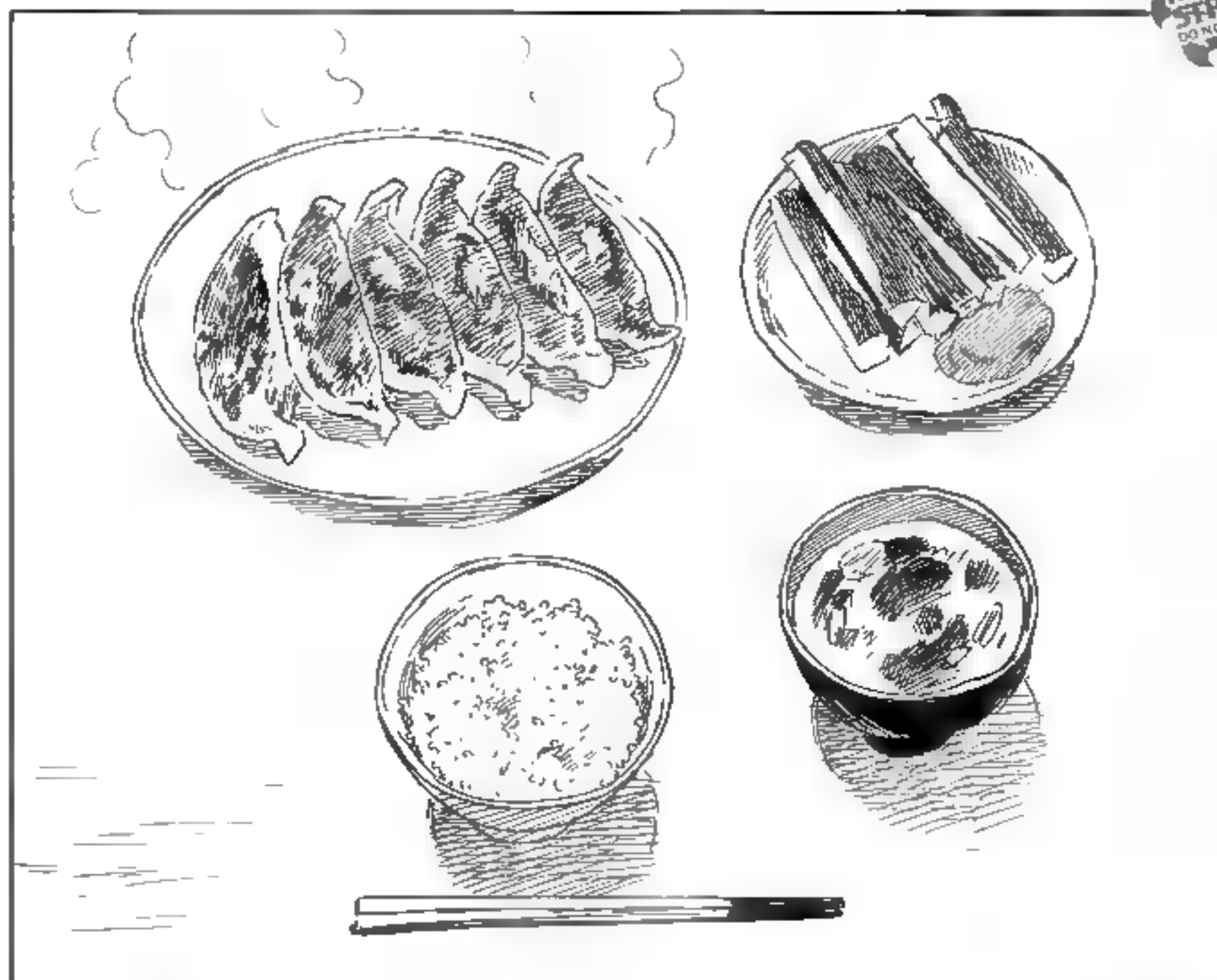


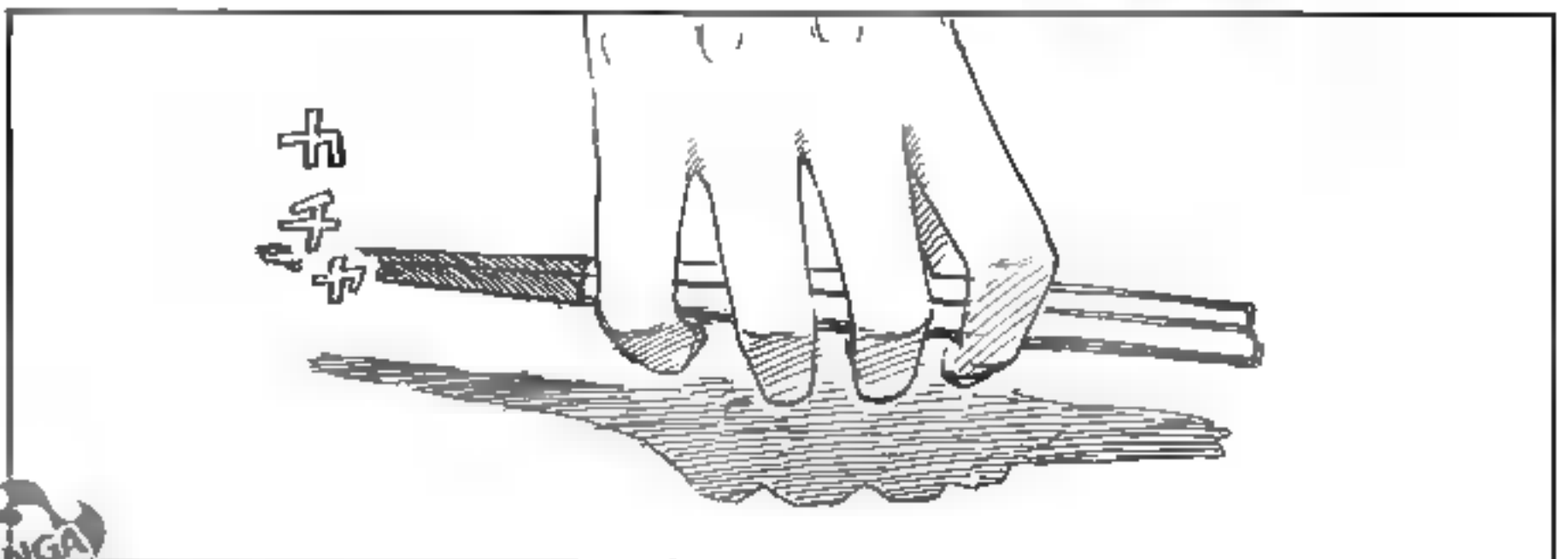


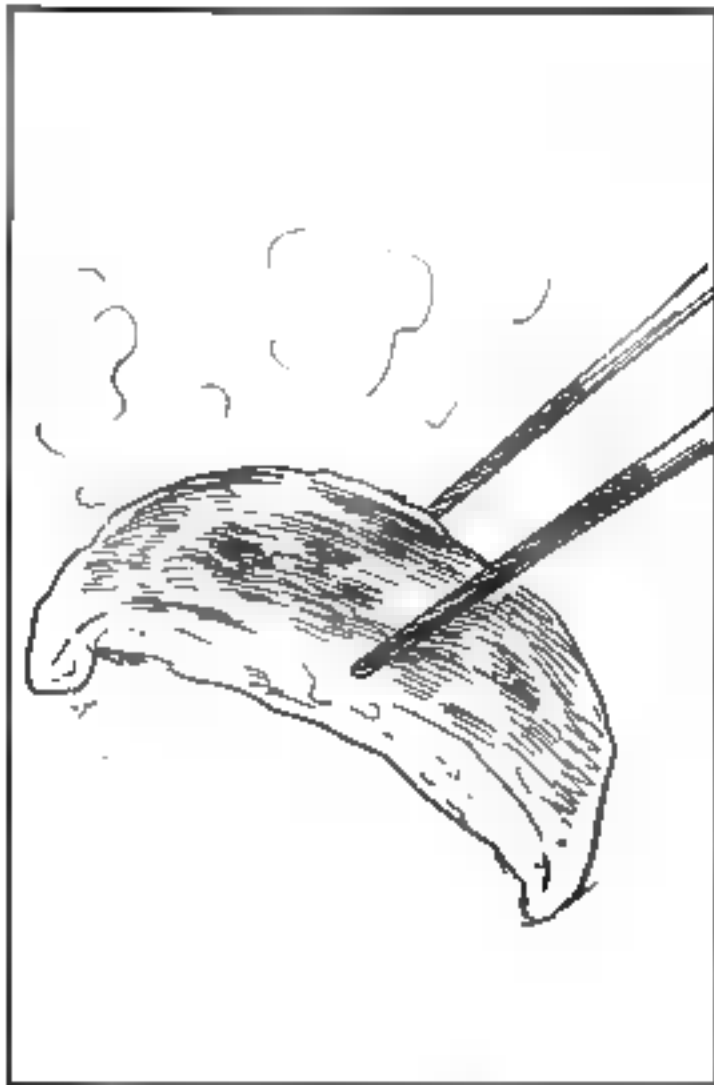




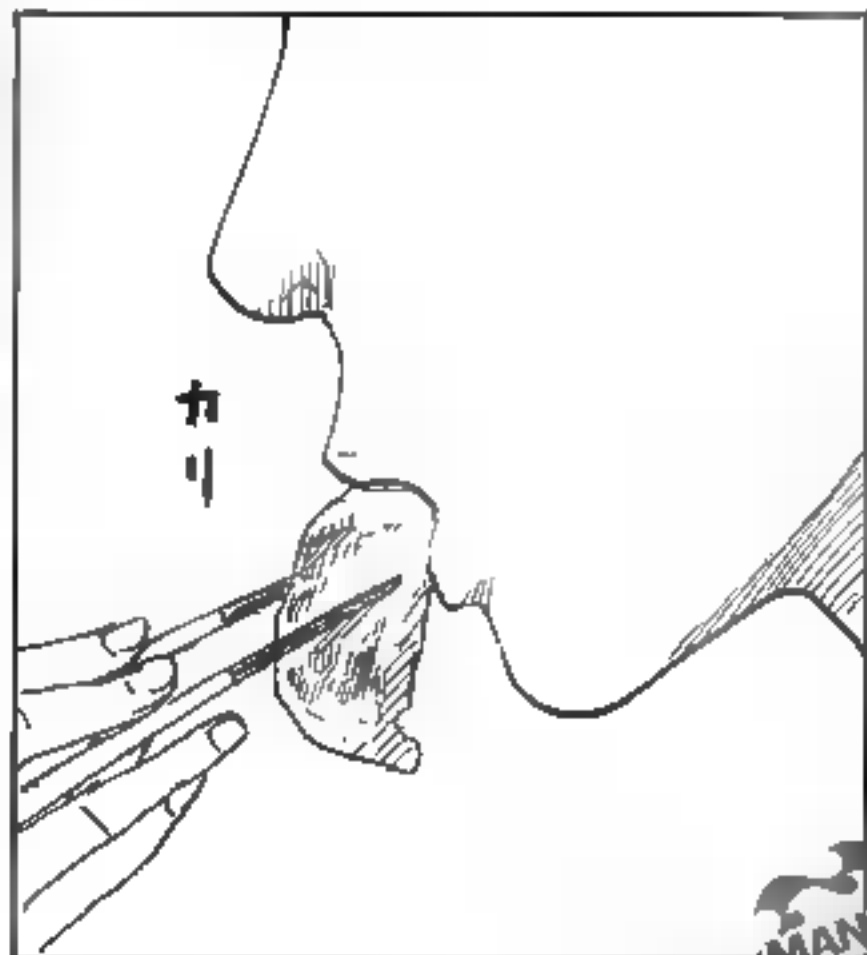


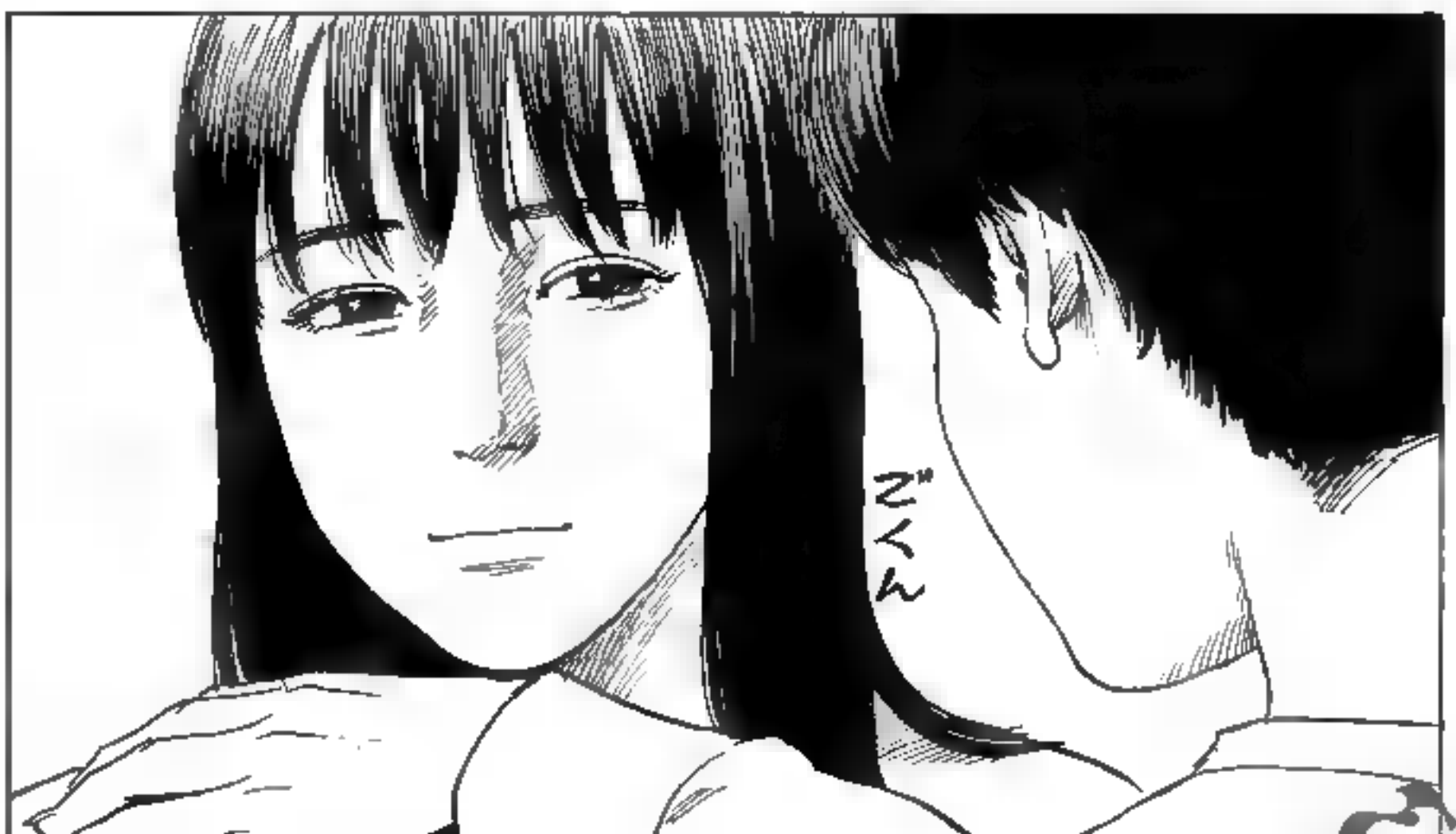


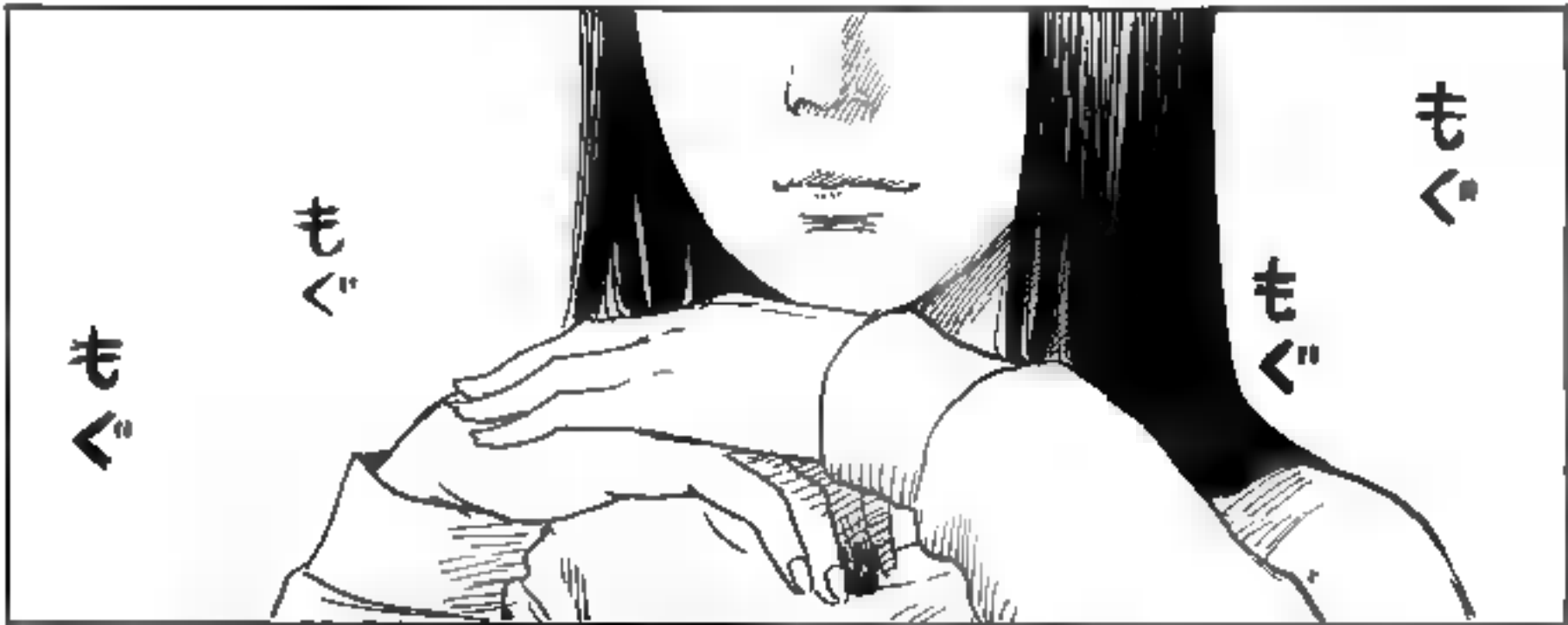


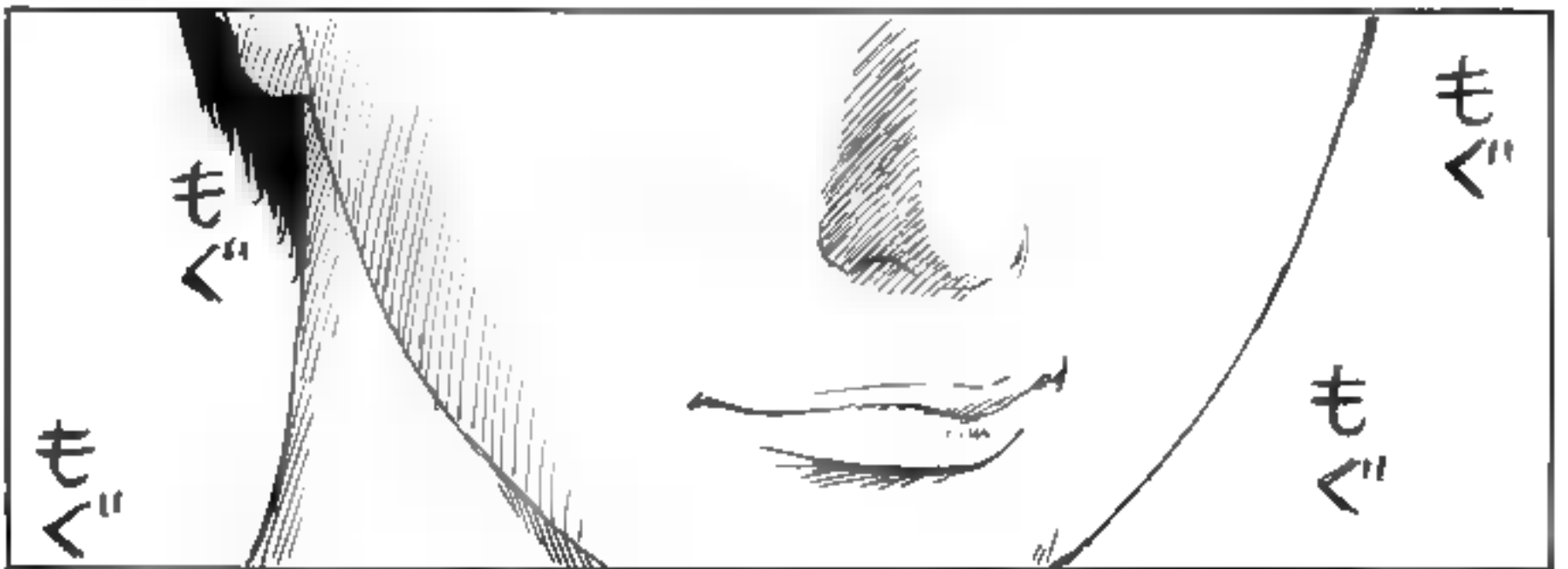
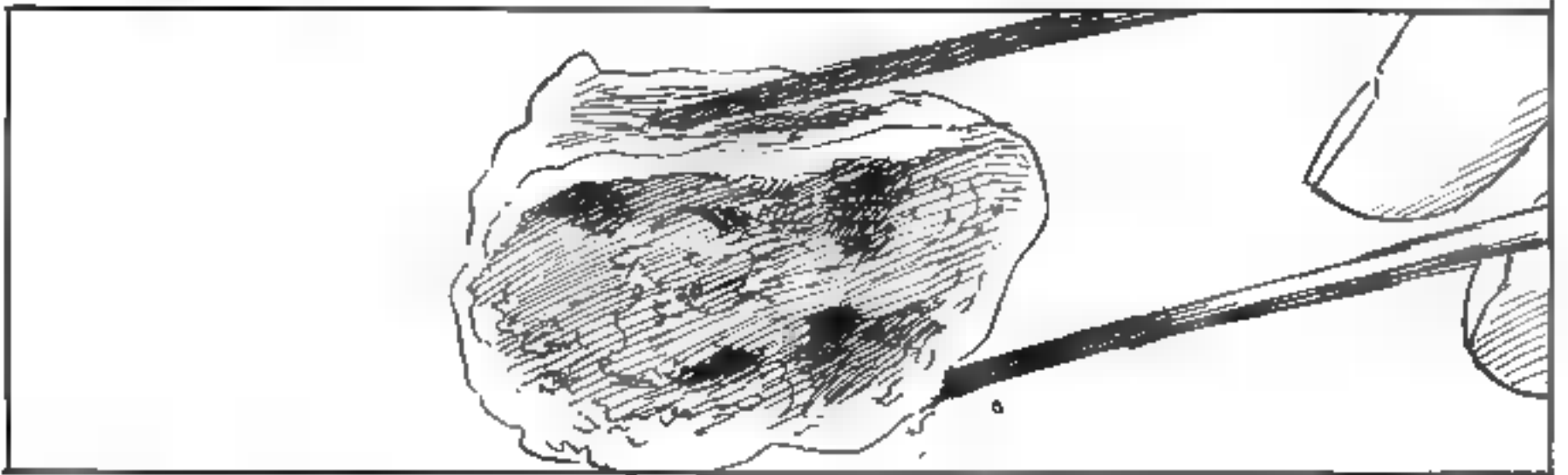


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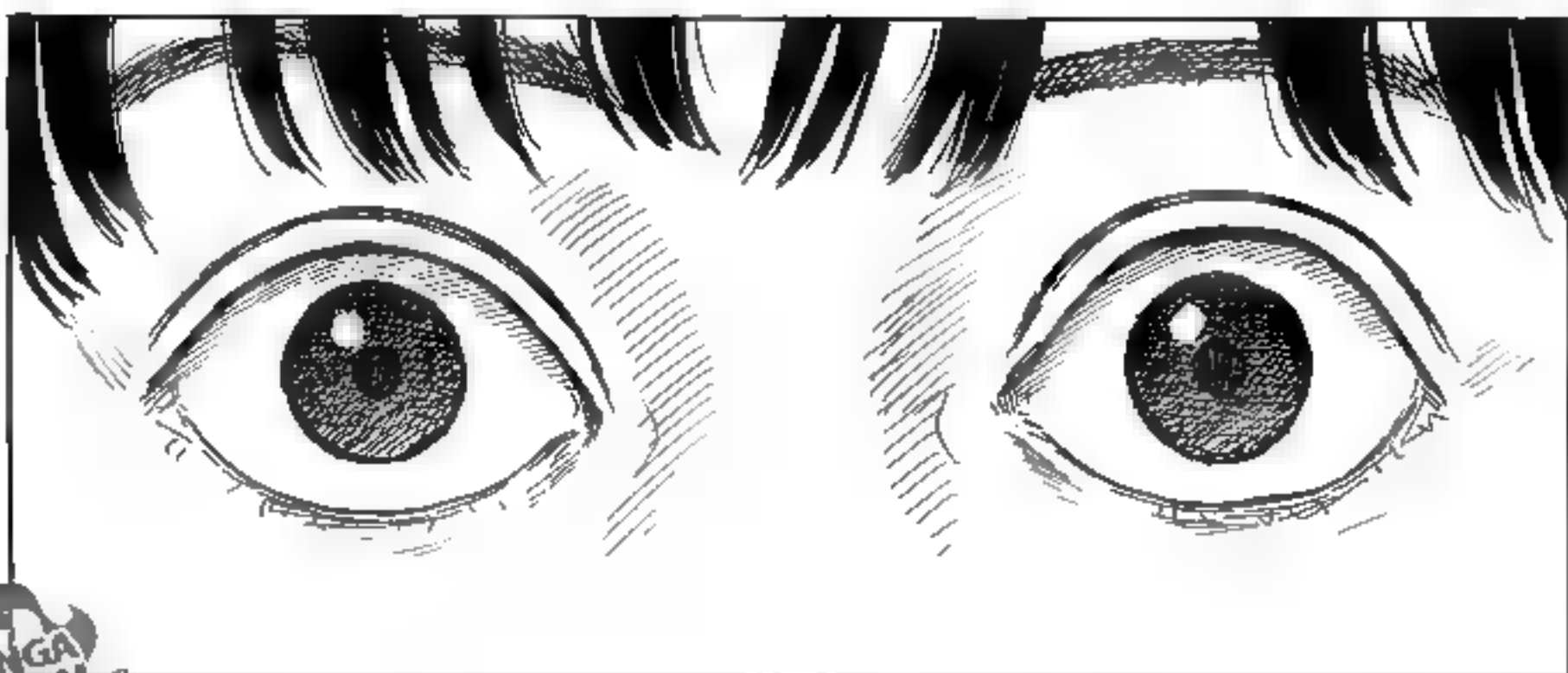
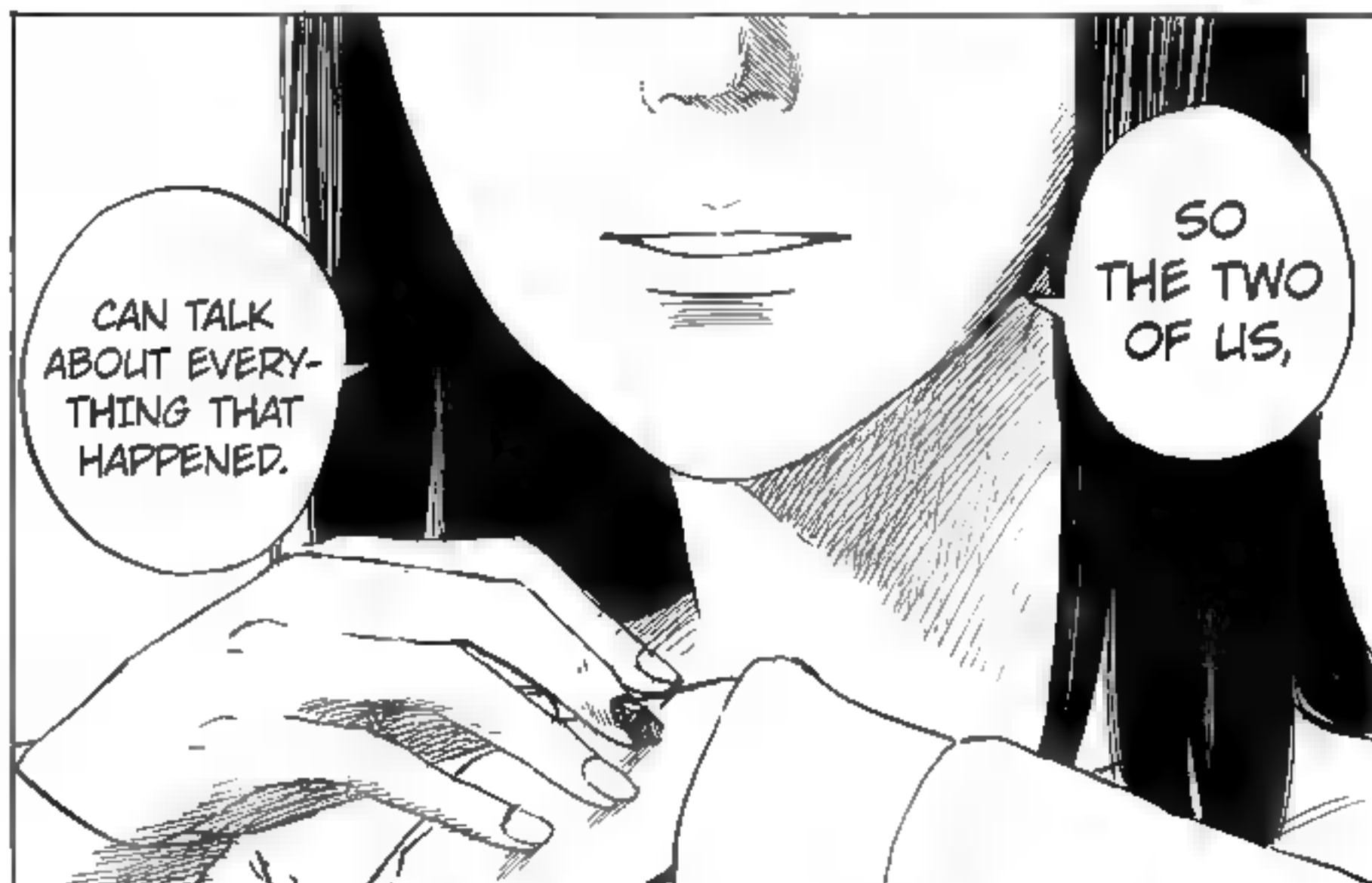






SEI,
HONEY.





TO BE CONTINUED

SO,

I'LL
GO FIRST,
ALRIGHT?

MOM SEEMS TO BE DETERMINED
TO TALK ABOUT EVERYTHING...
BUT WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?!

COLOURED PAGES TO COMMEMORATE THE NEW VOLUME COMING OUT!

Mom has made up her mind to talk about "something"... the tension rises!!

I'LL
GO FIRST,
ALRIGHT?

SO,

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IS MOM GOING TO OPEN **PANDORA'S BOX** ON HER OWN VOLITION?!

THAT
DAY SHIGERU
FELL OFF THE
CLIFF.

LET'S
START.

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CHAPTER 44: LET'S HAVE A CHAT

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PREVIOUS VOLUMES WERE BLOWN OFF THE
SHELVES AND SOLD MORE THAN 600,000 VOLUMES!

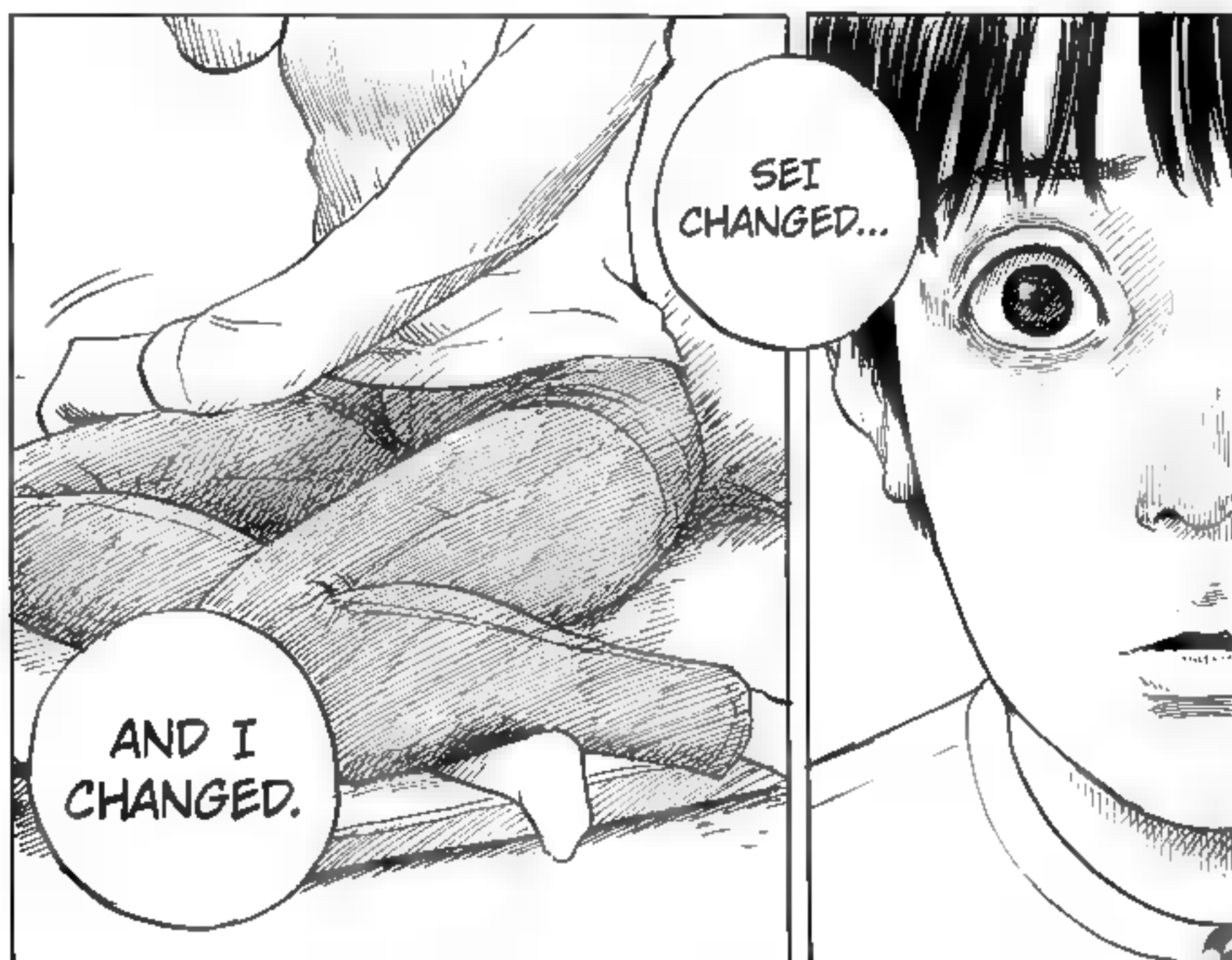
THE NEW VOLUME WILL HIT STORES ON THE 28TH OF FEBRUARY!



She's going to talk about... "that"... Sei is speechless.



EVER
SINCE...





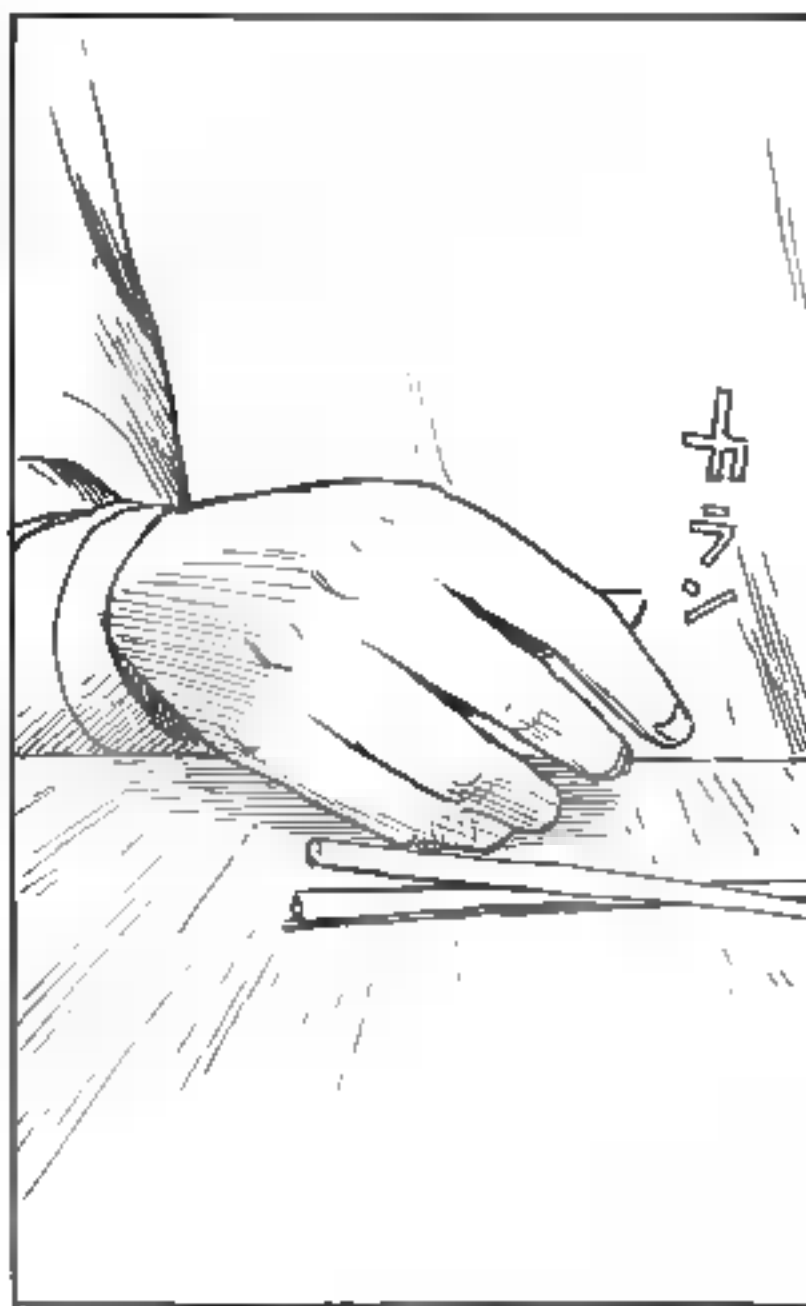
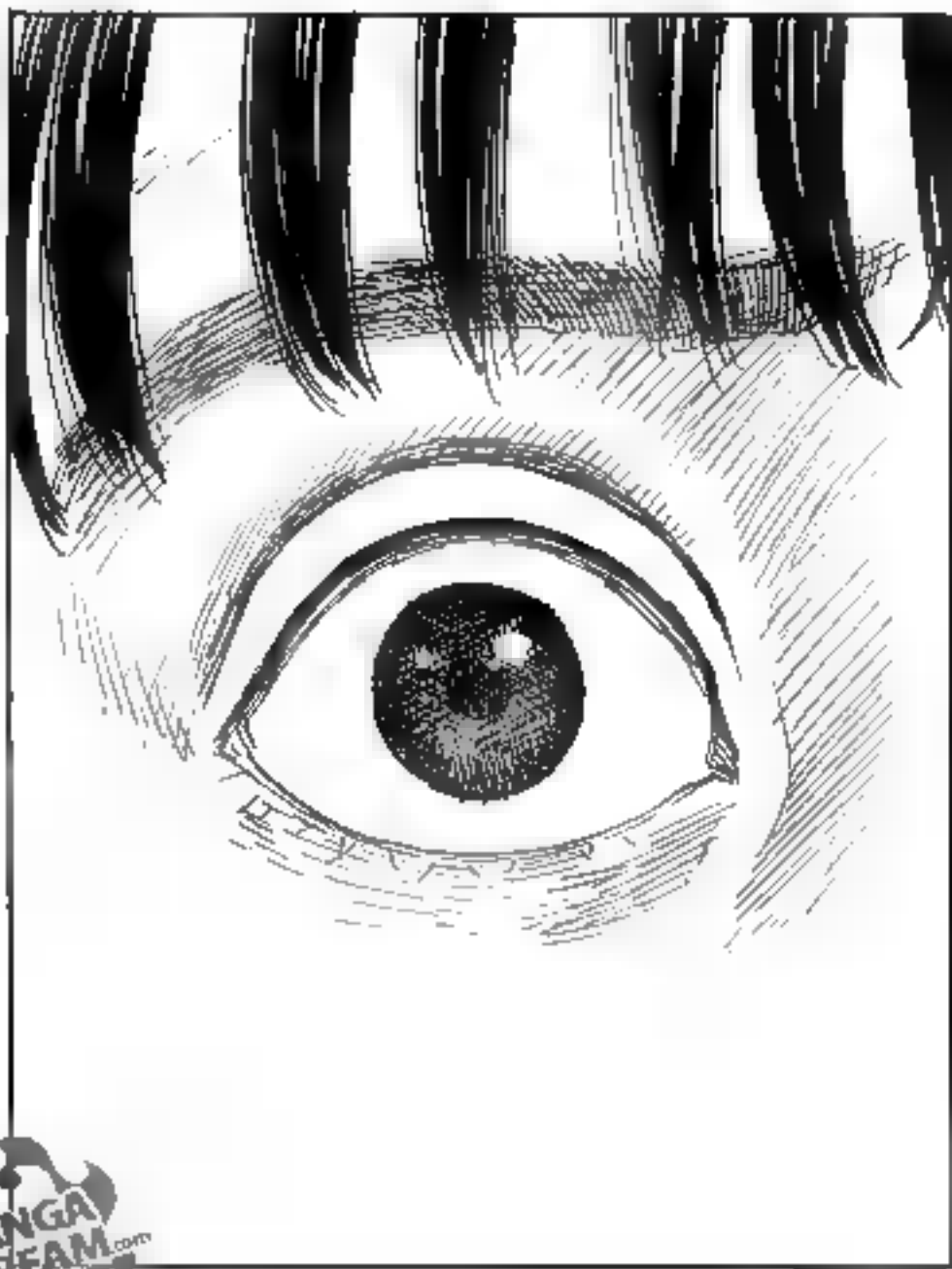
DON'T
WE?

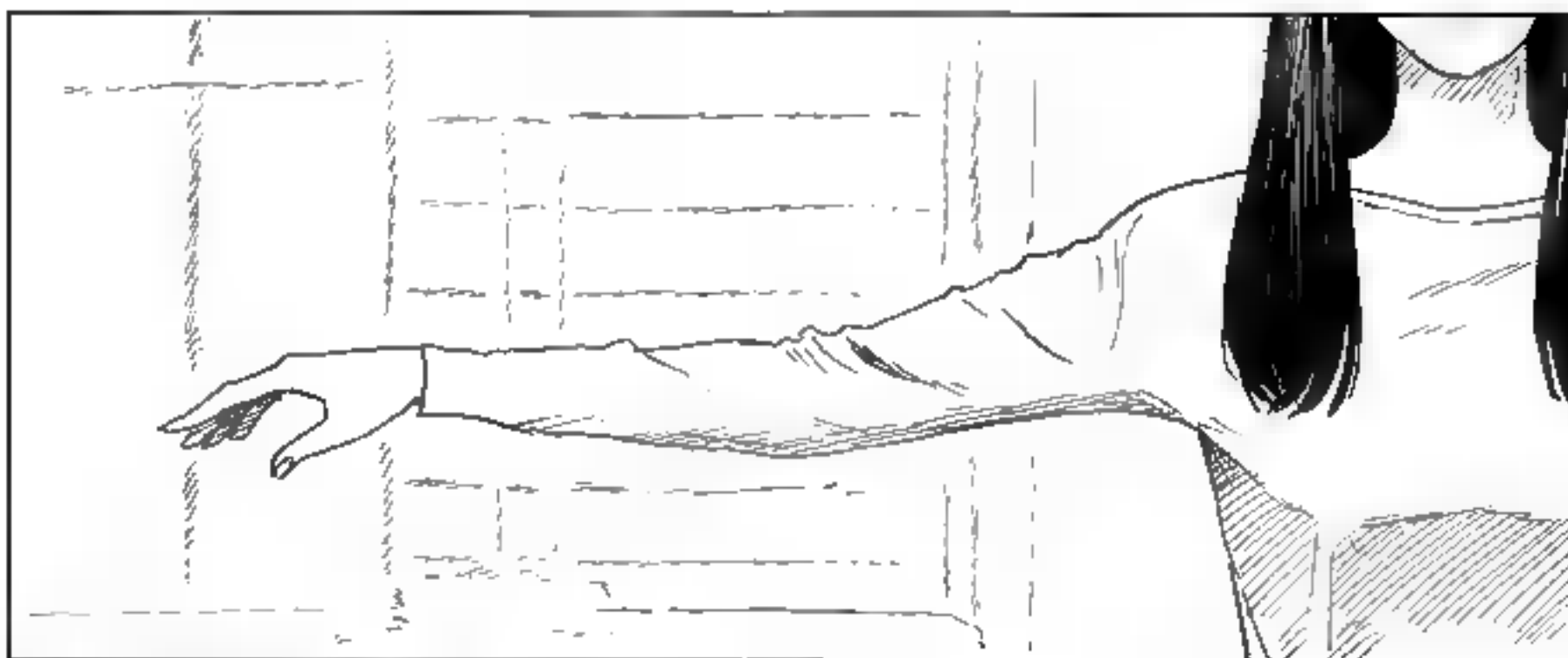
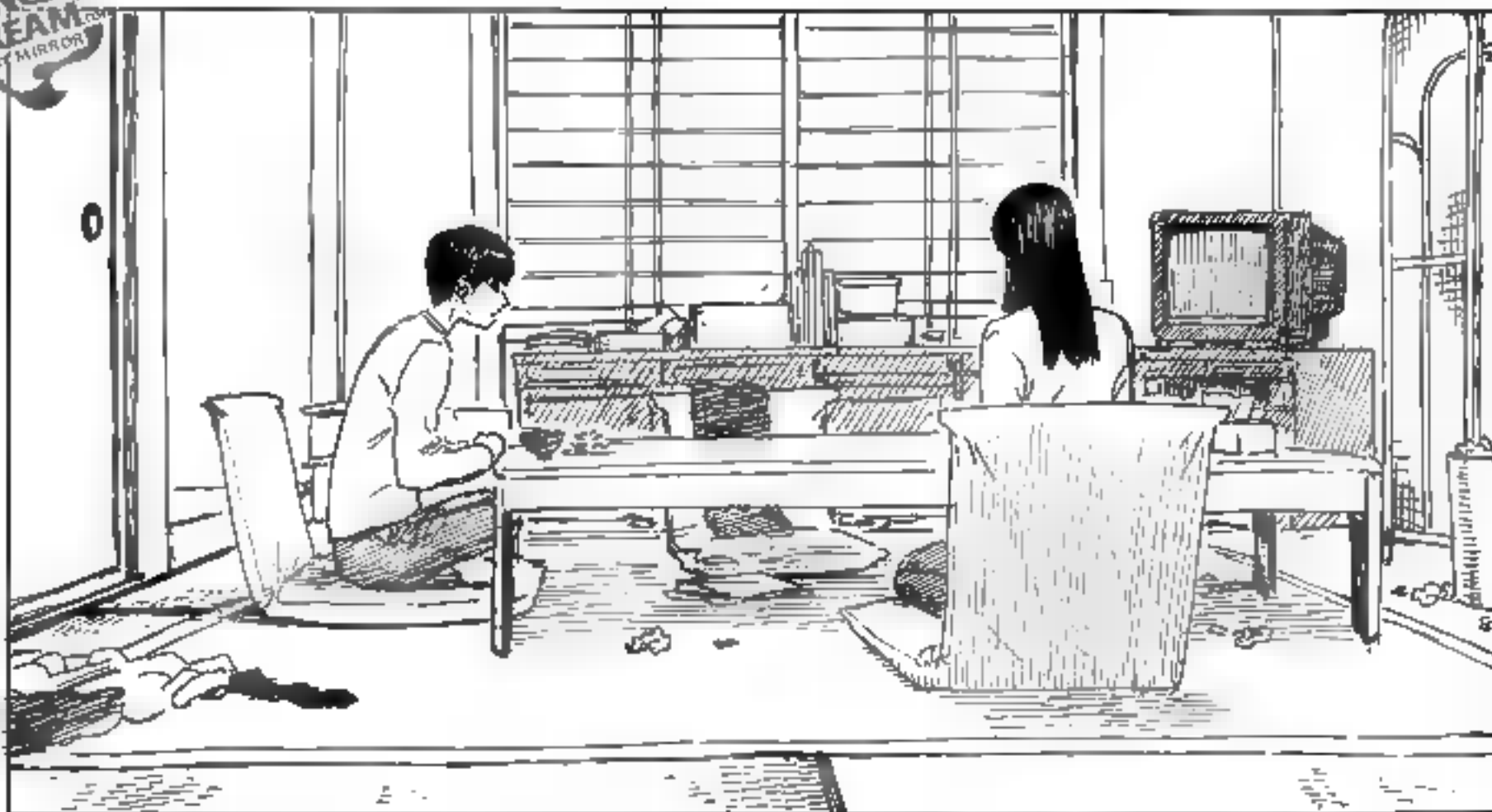
SO
WE JUST
HAVE TO TALK
ABOUT IT,



RUN
AWAY ANY-
MORE.

I
CANNOT,









THE NOISE
HE MADE WHEN
HE DID THAT.

THAT'S
...



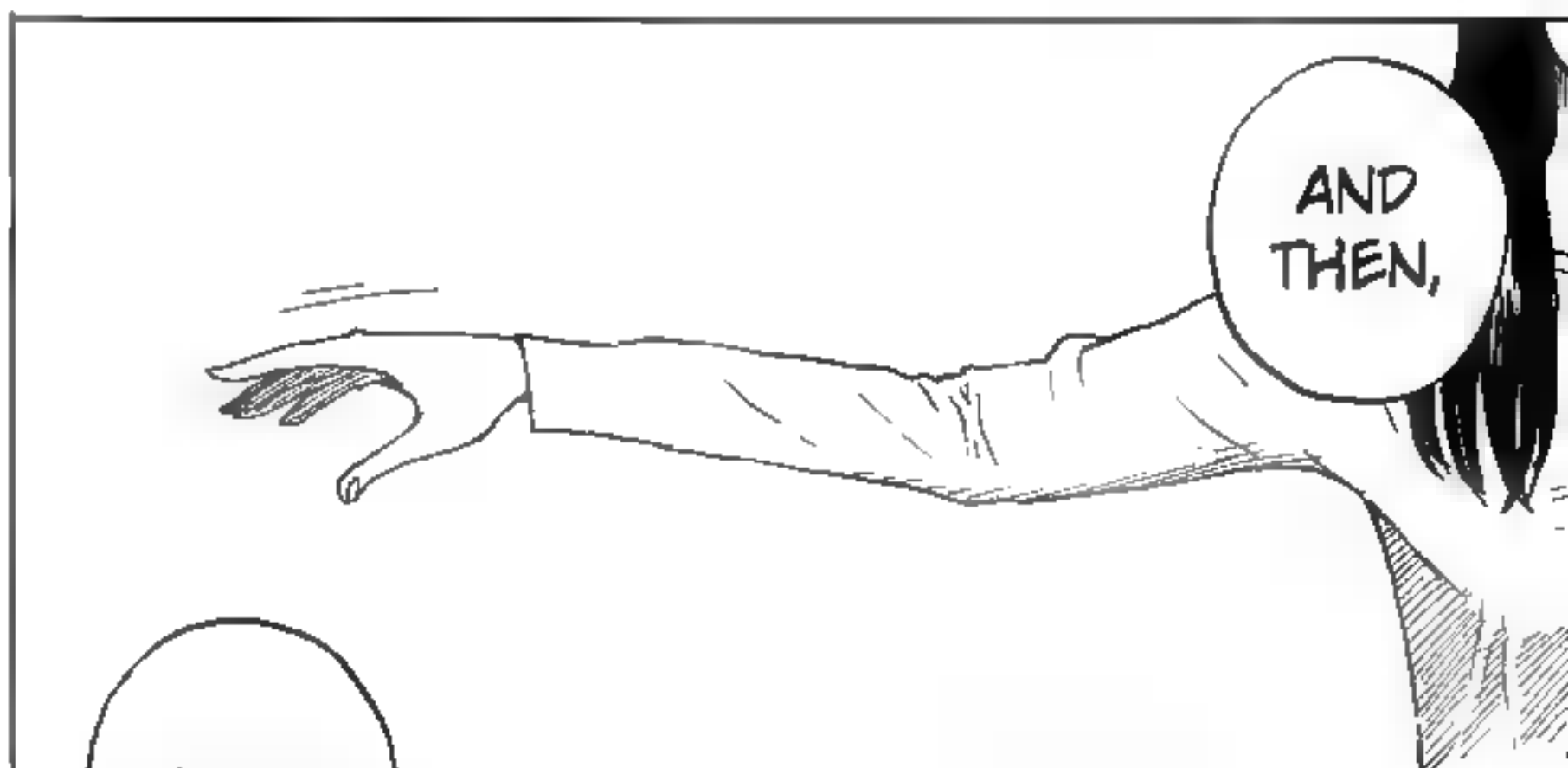
"STOP THAT,
IT'S DANGER-
OUS!"

SO...
I SAID...



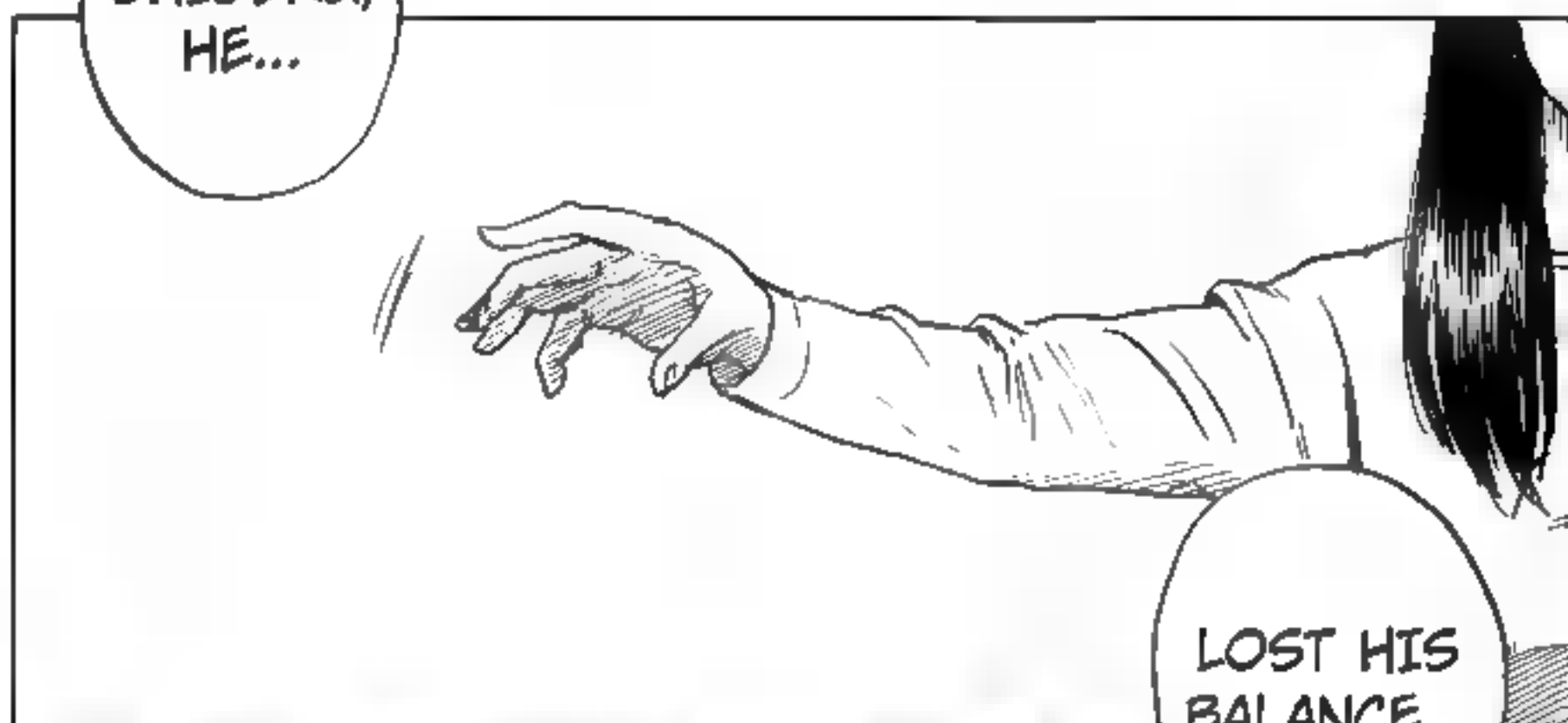
"YOU
REALLY ARE
OVER PROTEC-
TIVE!"

"THAT'S
STUPID!"



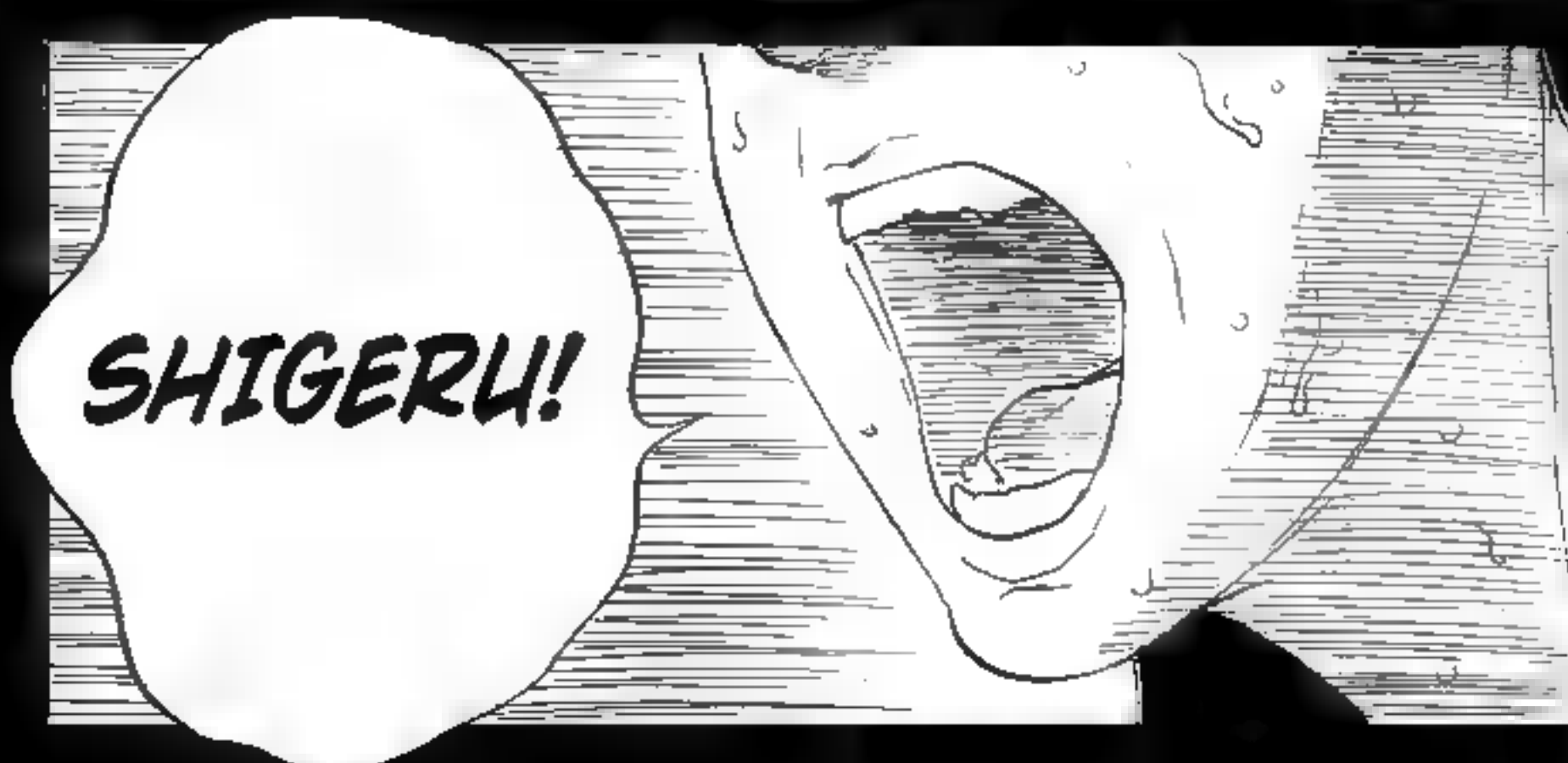
AND
THEN,

SHIGERU,
HE...

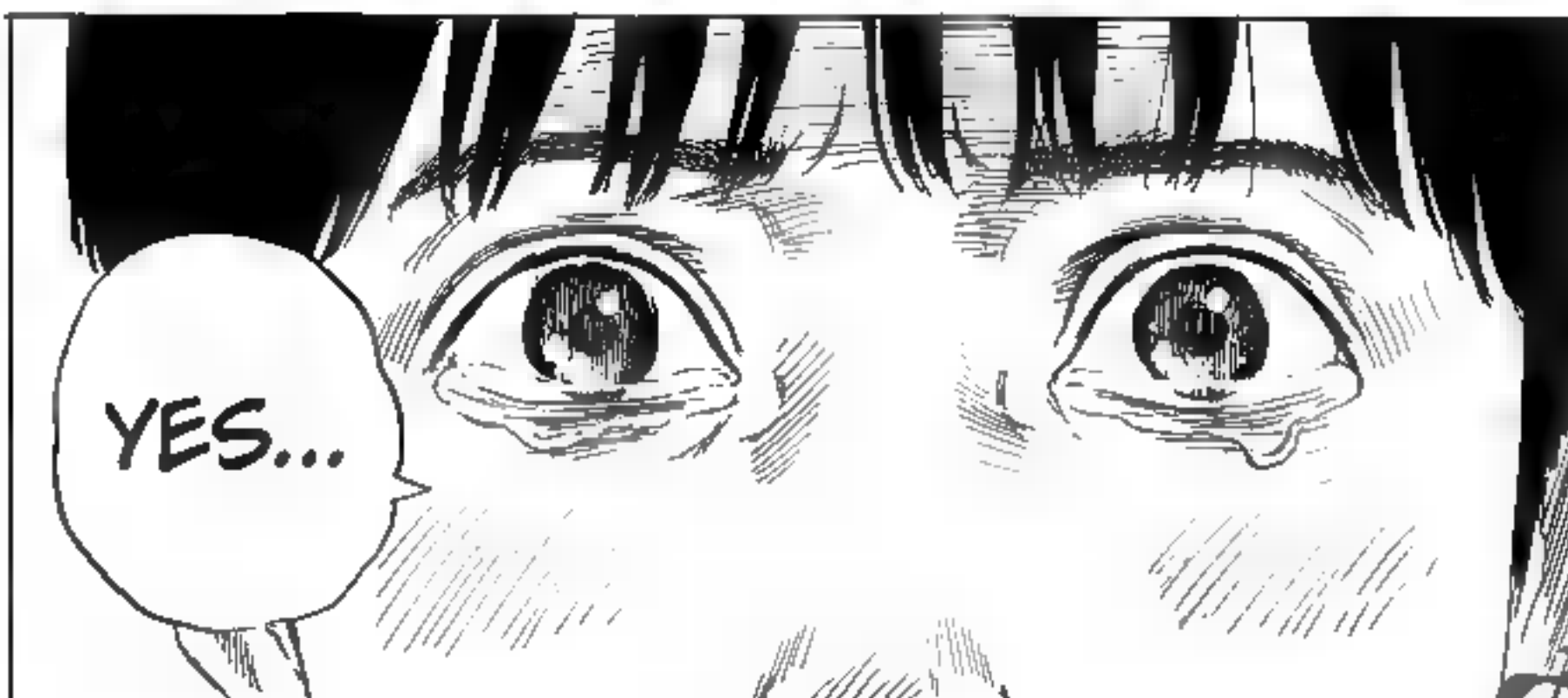
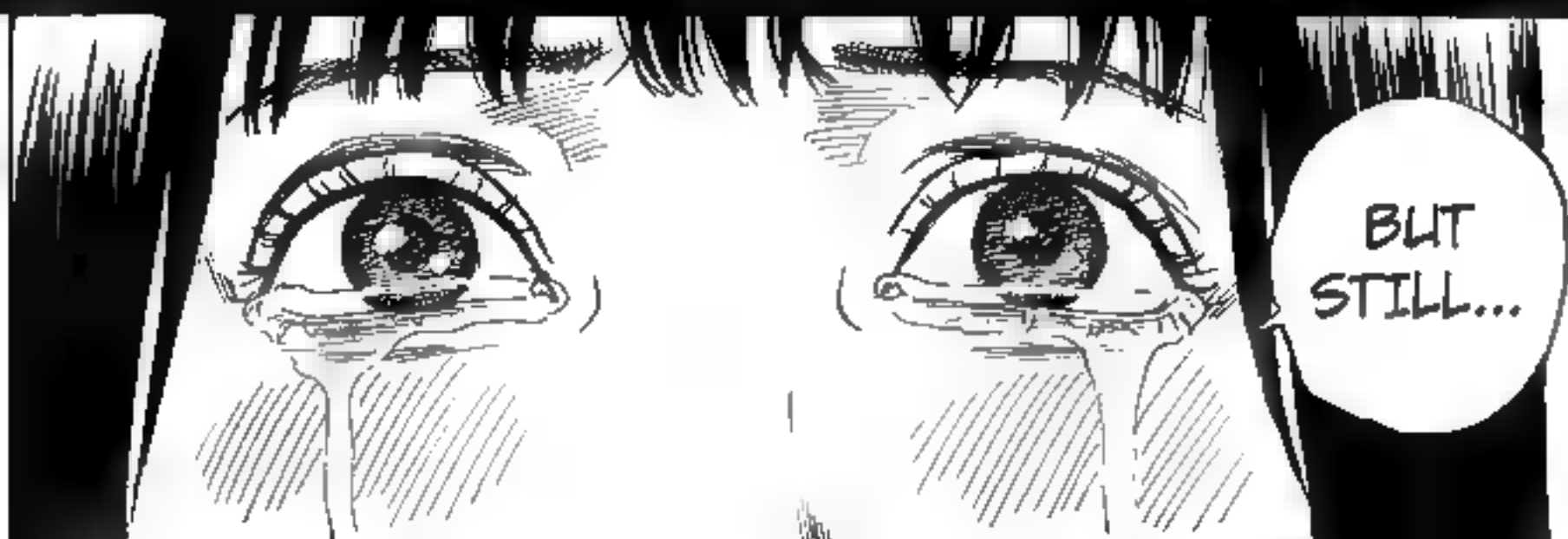


LOST HIS
BALANCE...











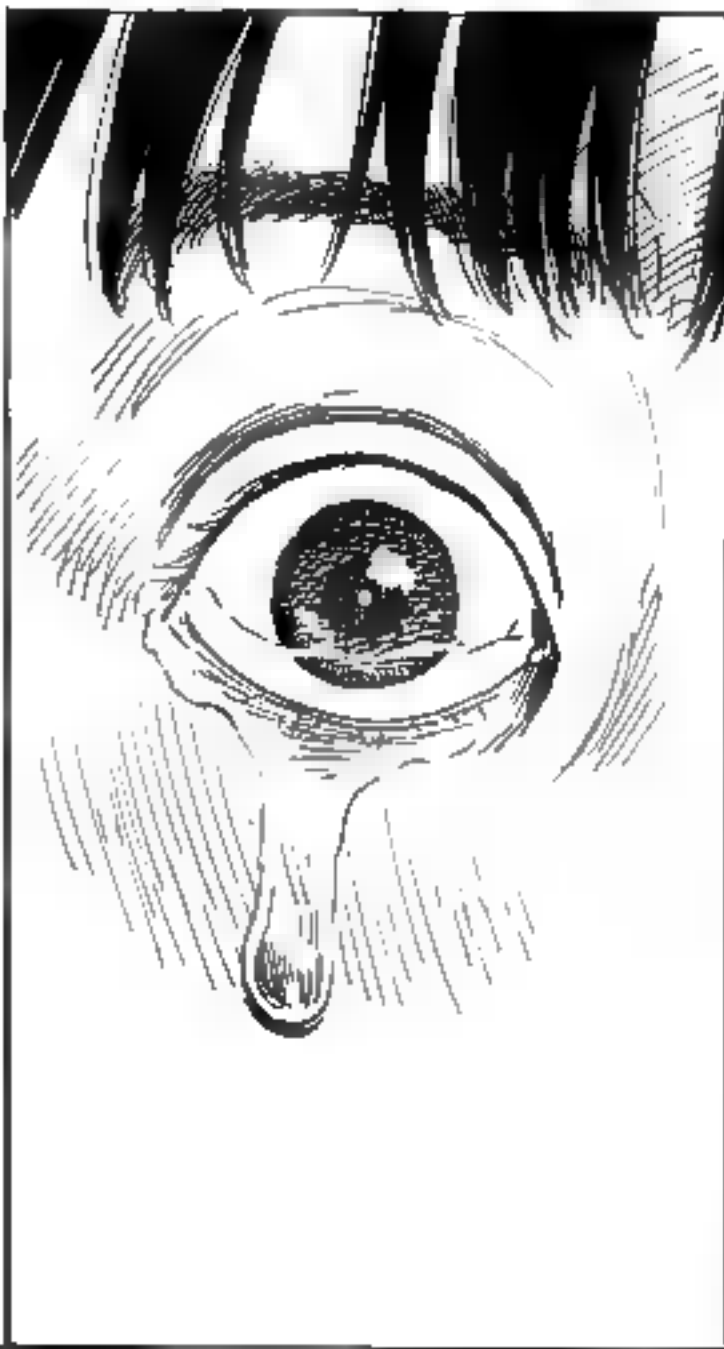


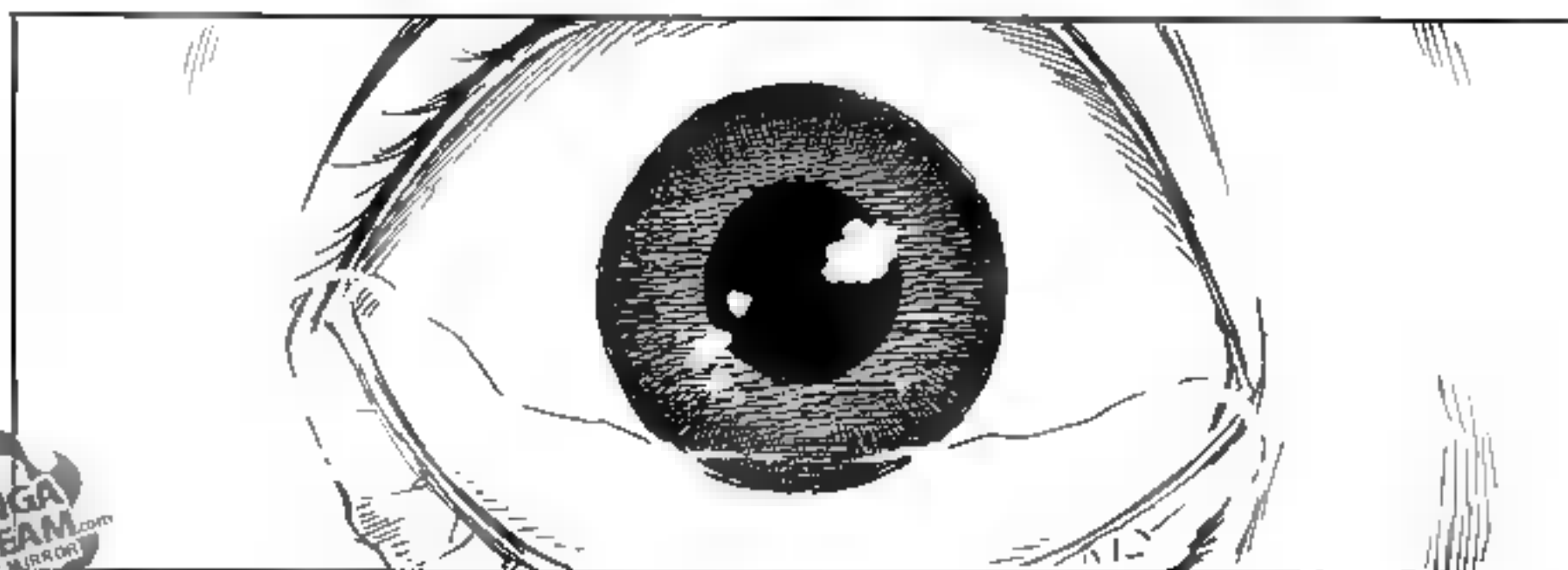
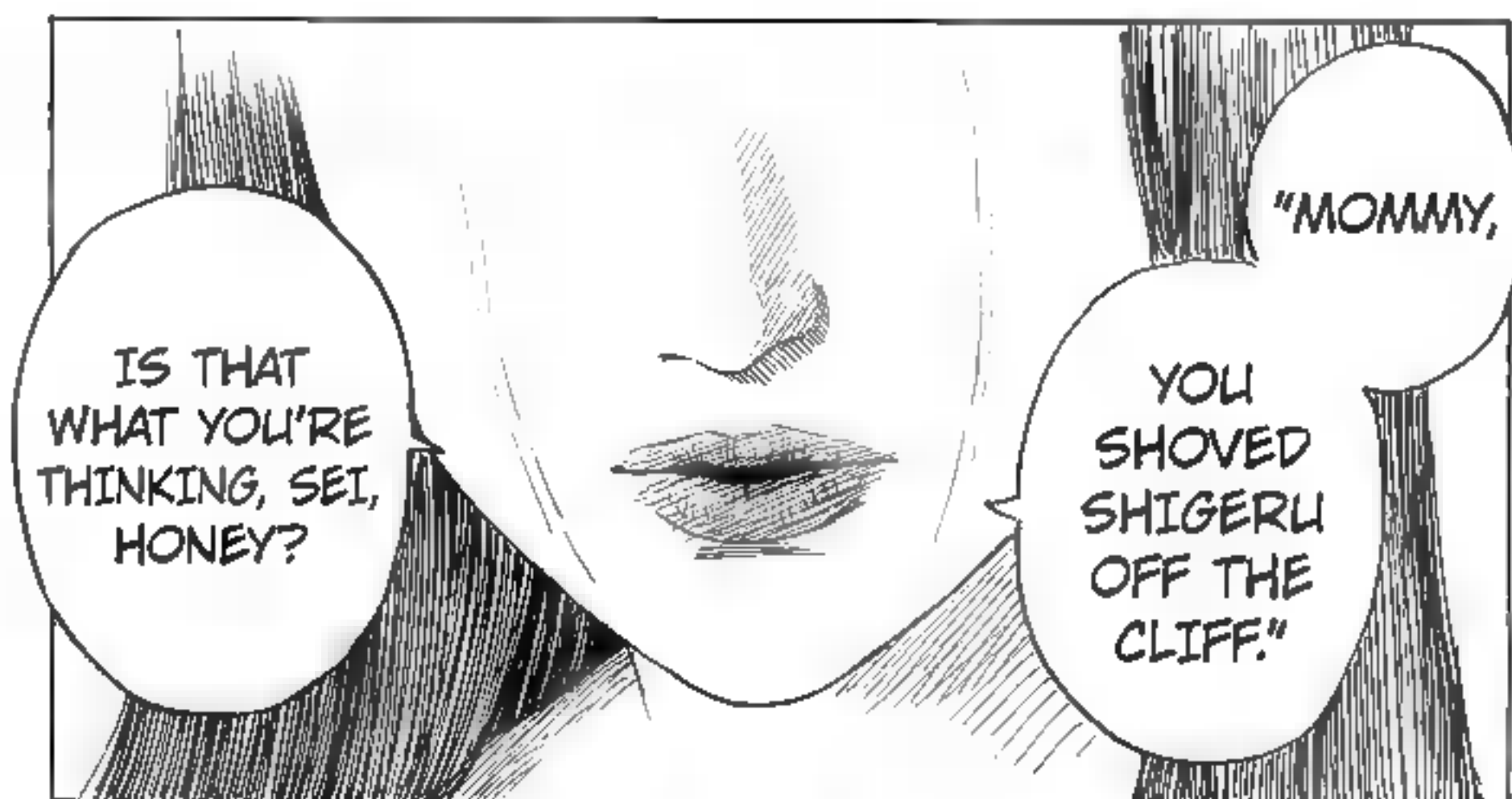
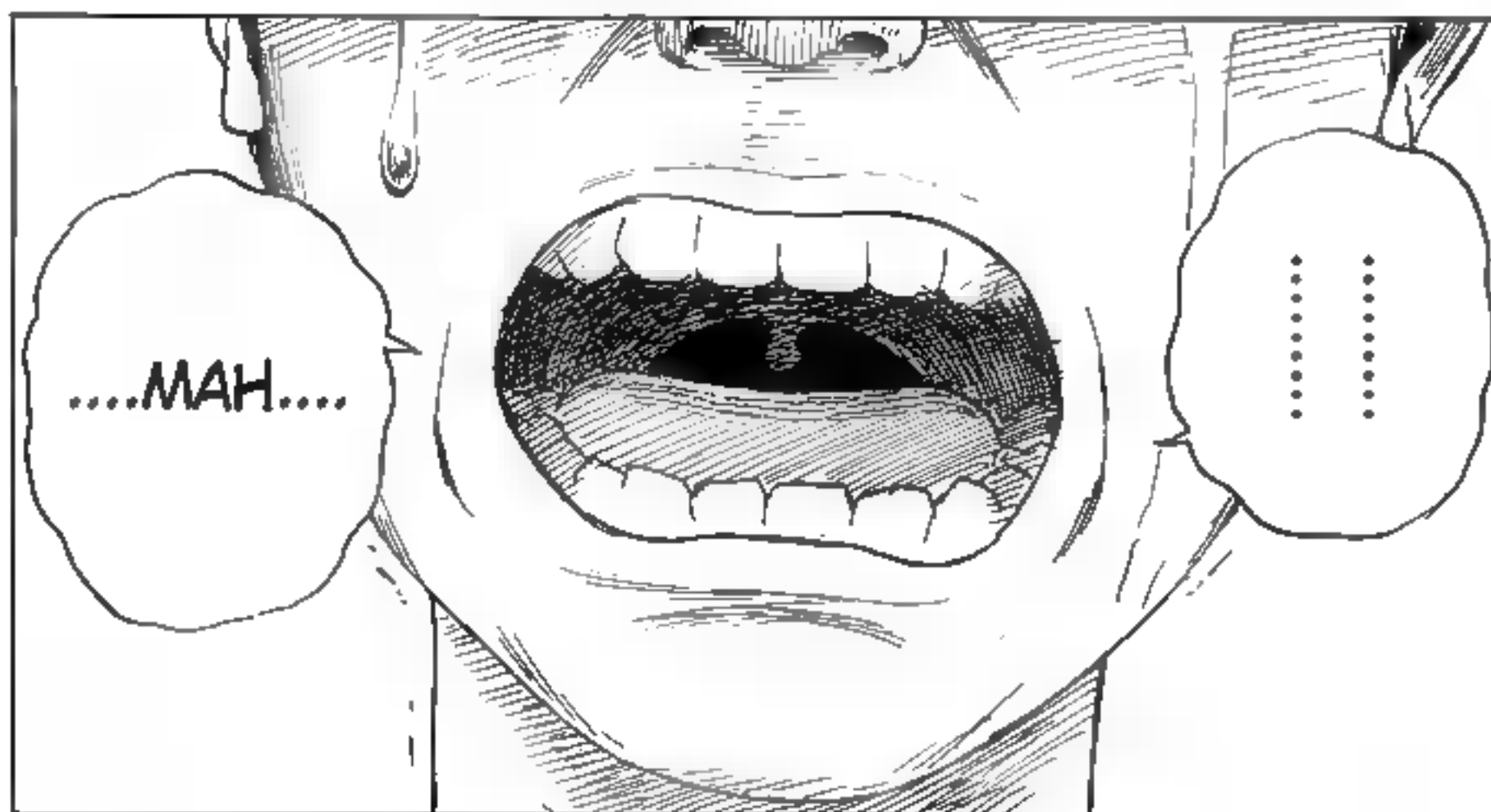
IF ONLY
I WAS A
BIT FASTER,
I COULD
HAVE...

I'M SO
SORRY...

I COULD
HAVE GRABBED
SHIGERU AND
SAVED HIM...














IT'S NOT YOUR
FAULT OR MINE,
SEI, HONEY.

SHIGERU FELL
OFF THAT CLIFF
BY HIMSELF.

THIS IS TOO CRUEL... EVEN FOR HER... IS THIS
WHAT SHE MEANT WHEN SHE SAID "EVERYTHING"?

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CHAPTER 45: THE TRUTH

WHAT IS SHE SAYING... THIS "TRUTH" MOM IS TELLING IS COMPLETELY DIFFERENT FROM WHAT I REMEMBER...!!



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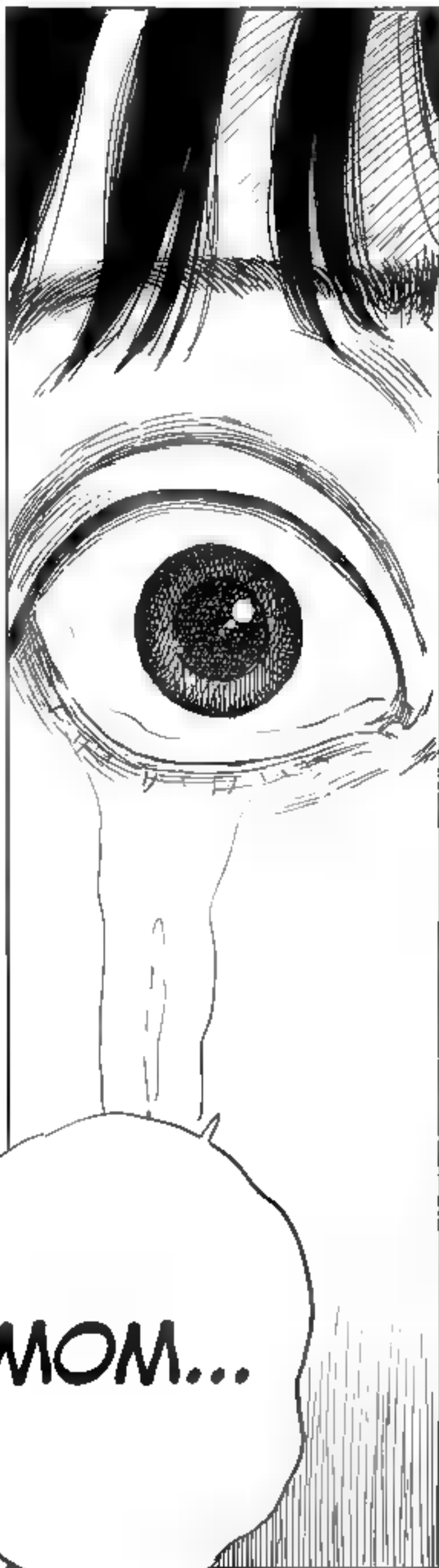
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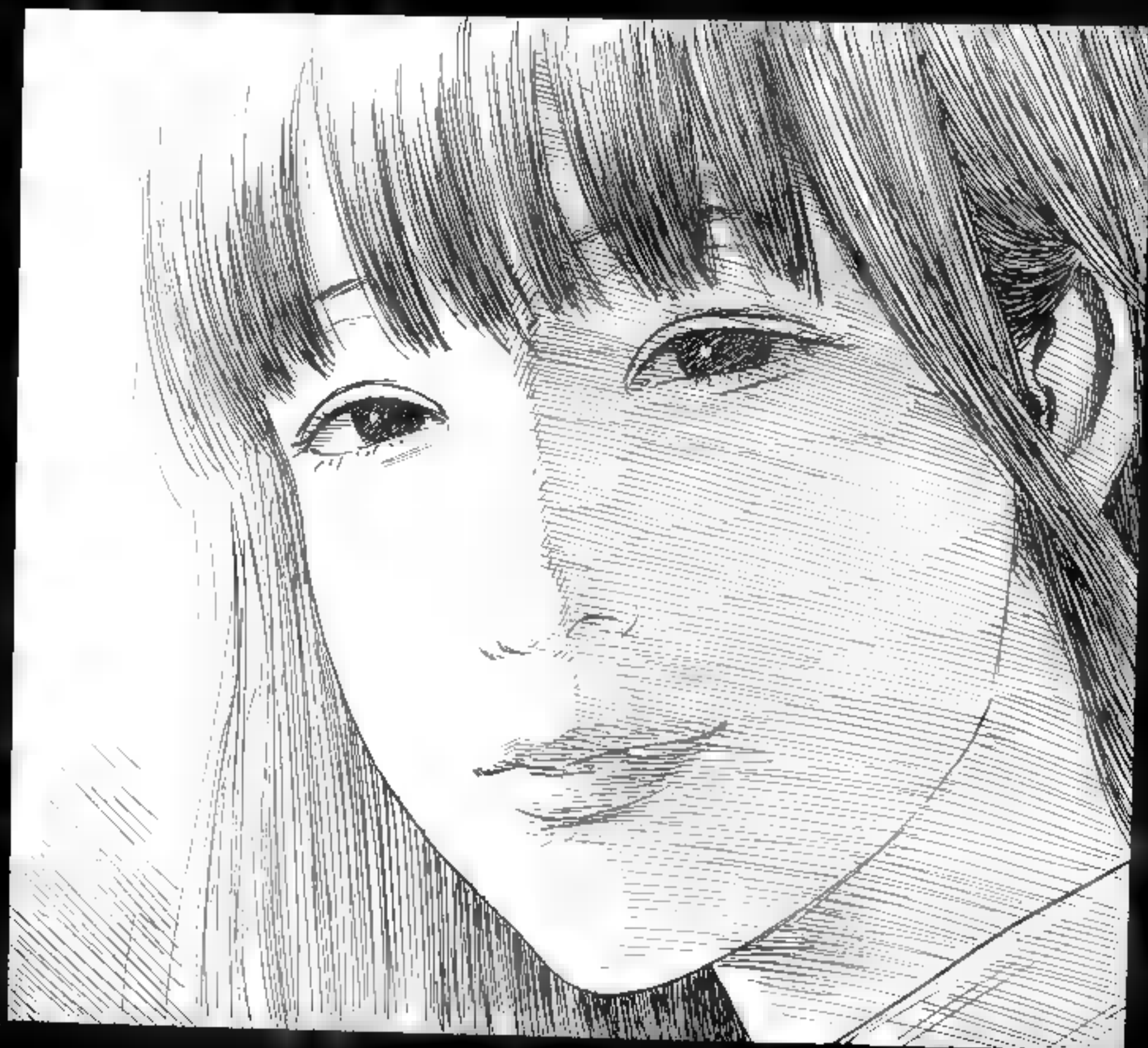
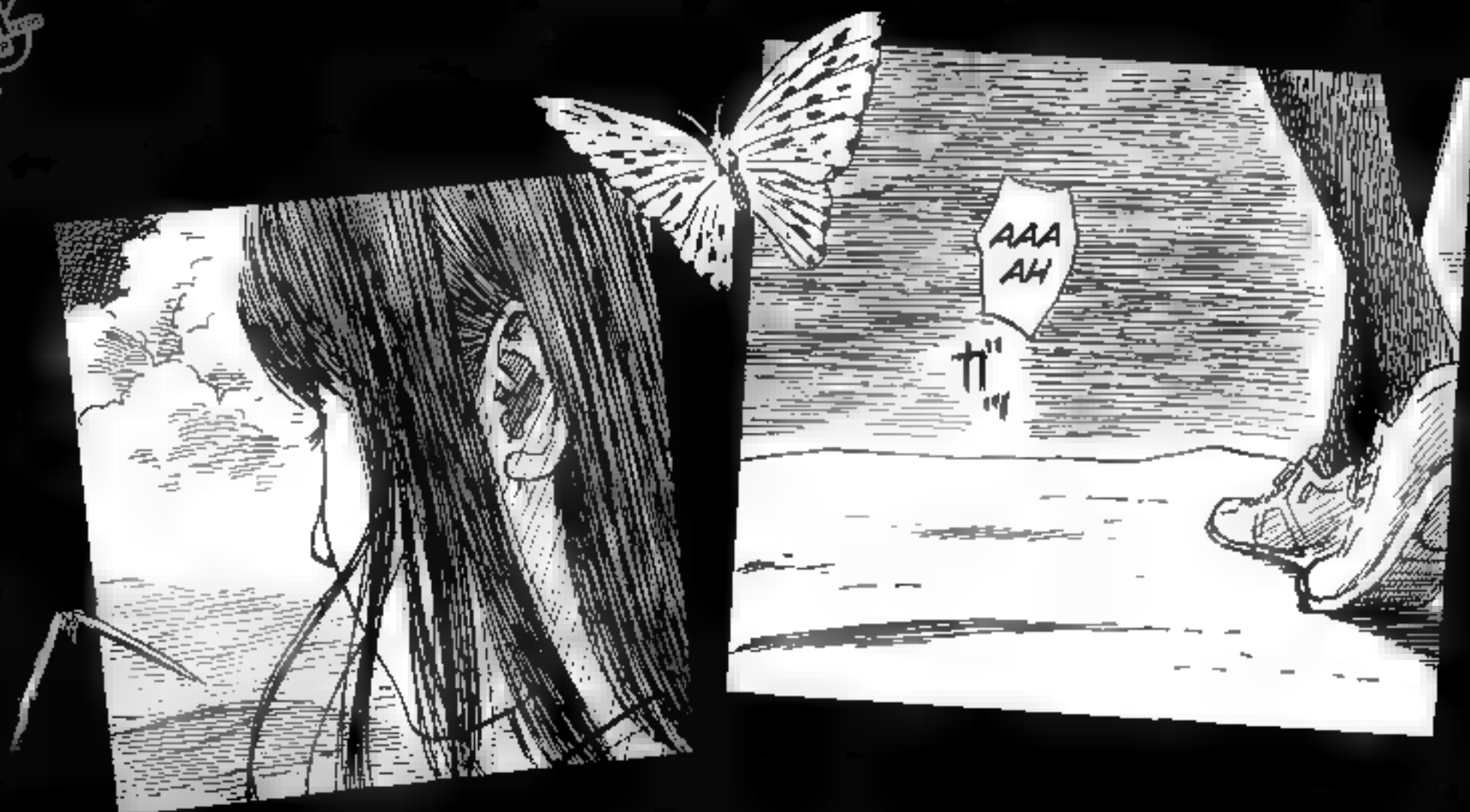
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SEI IS CERTAIN THAT HIS MOM PUSHED SHIGERU OFF THE CLIFF THAT DAY... BUT NOW SHE'S SAYING THAT SHE DIDN'T... SEI'S MIND IS IN DISARRAY!

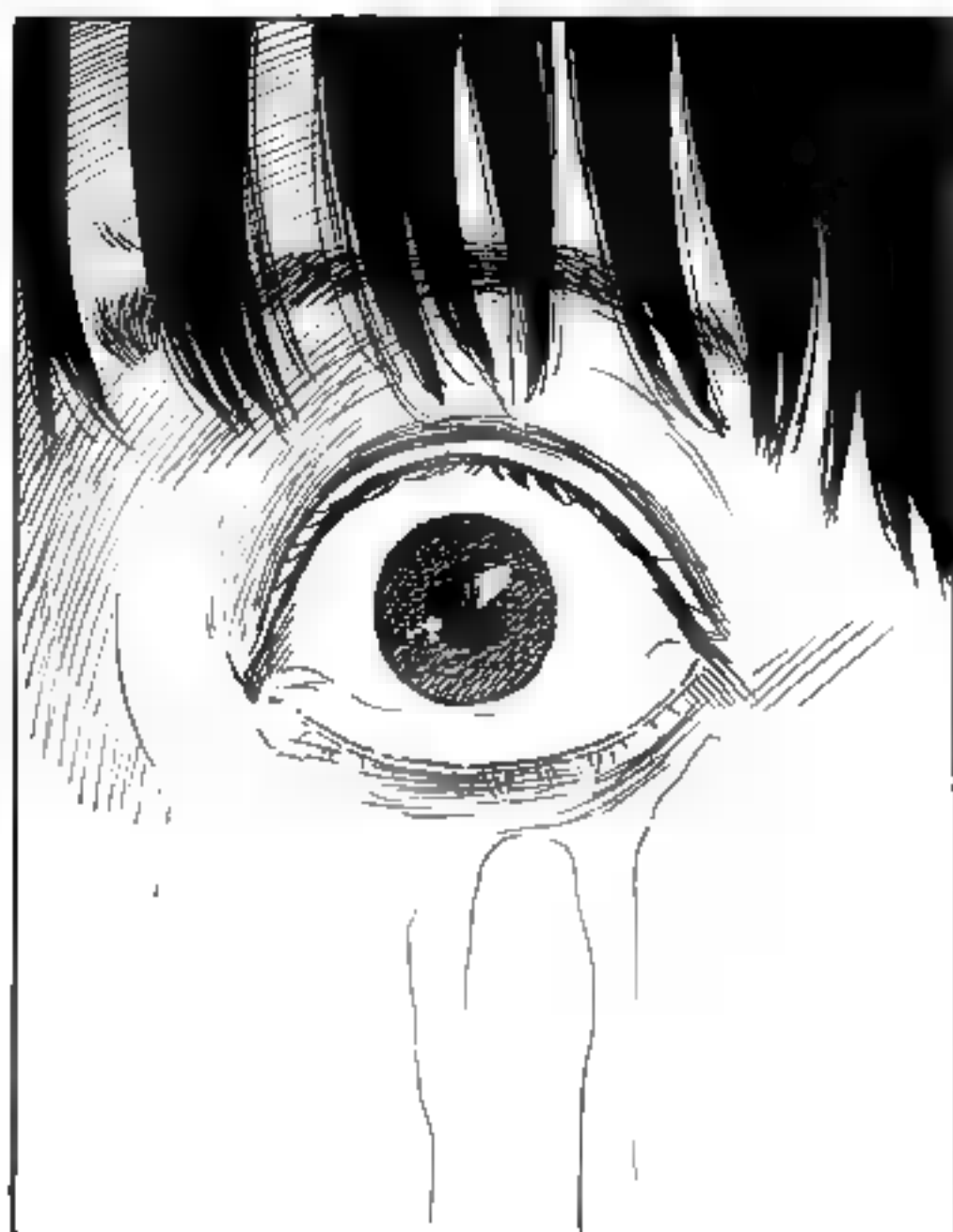
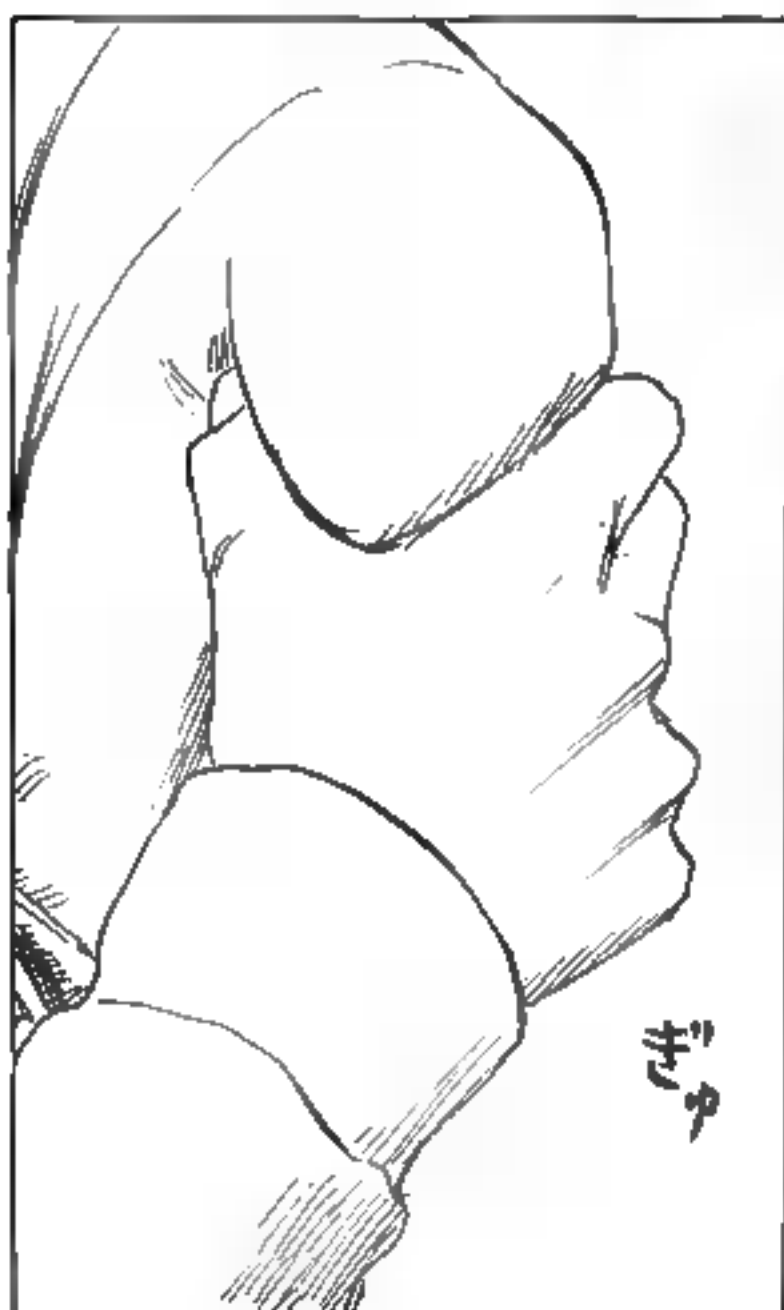




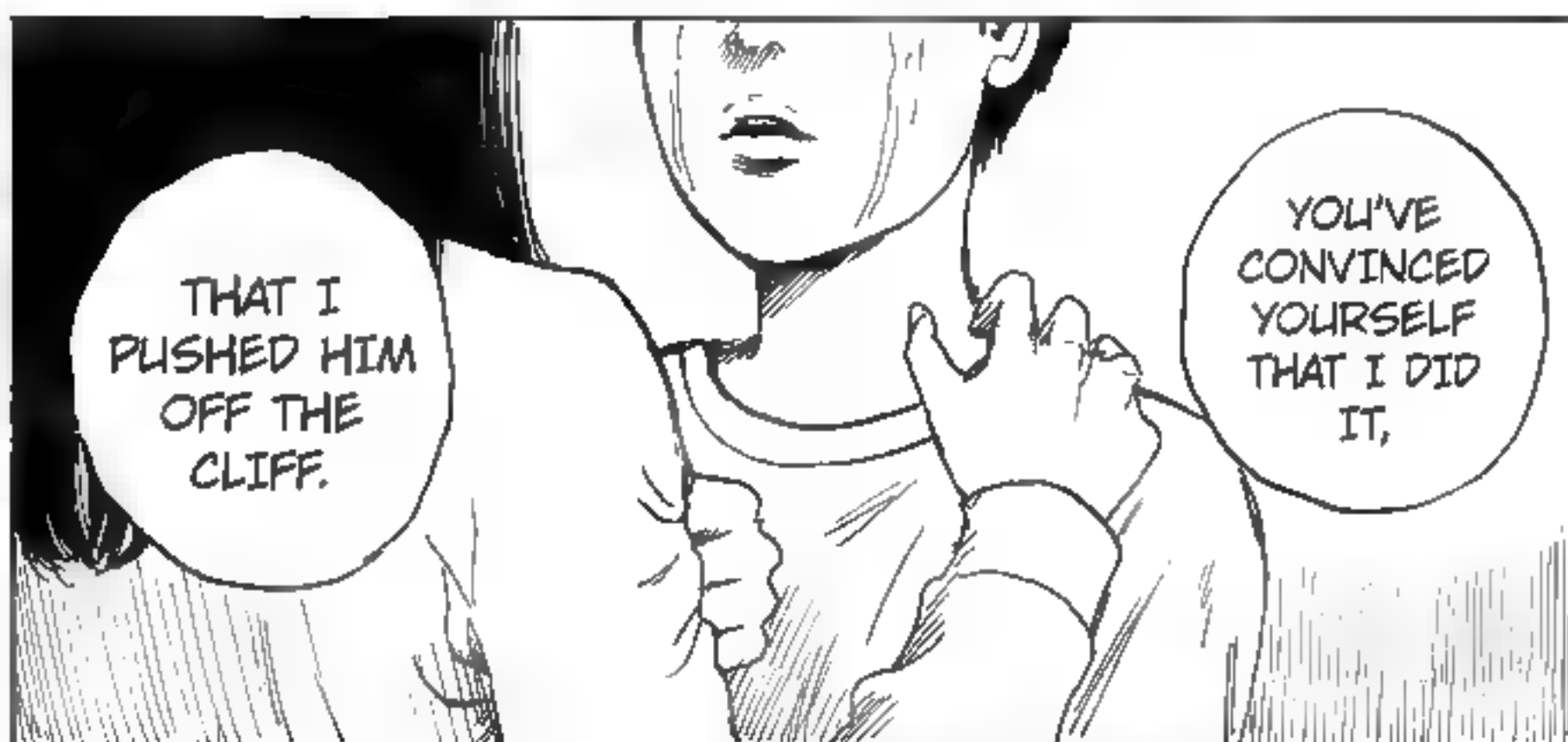
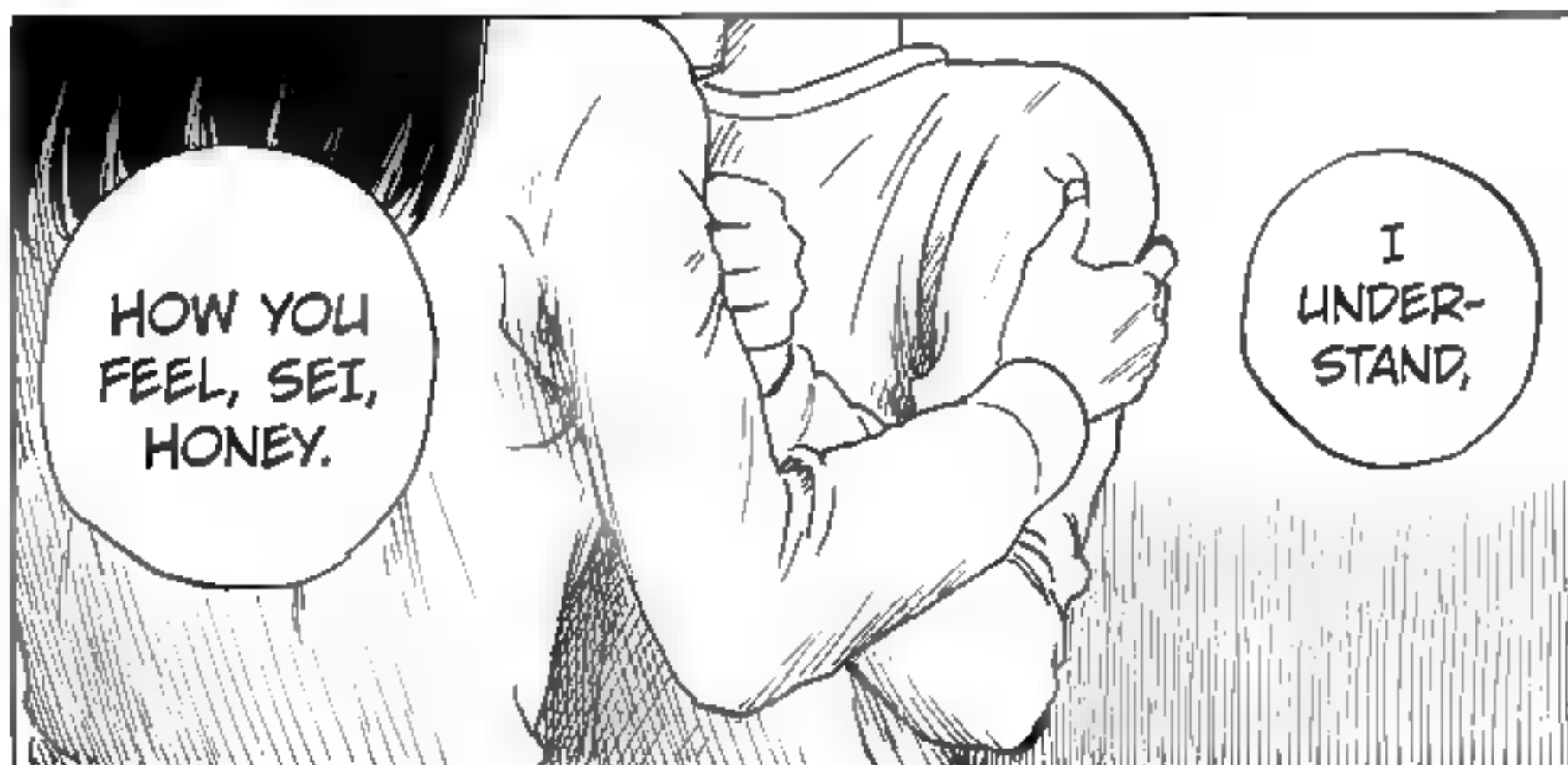


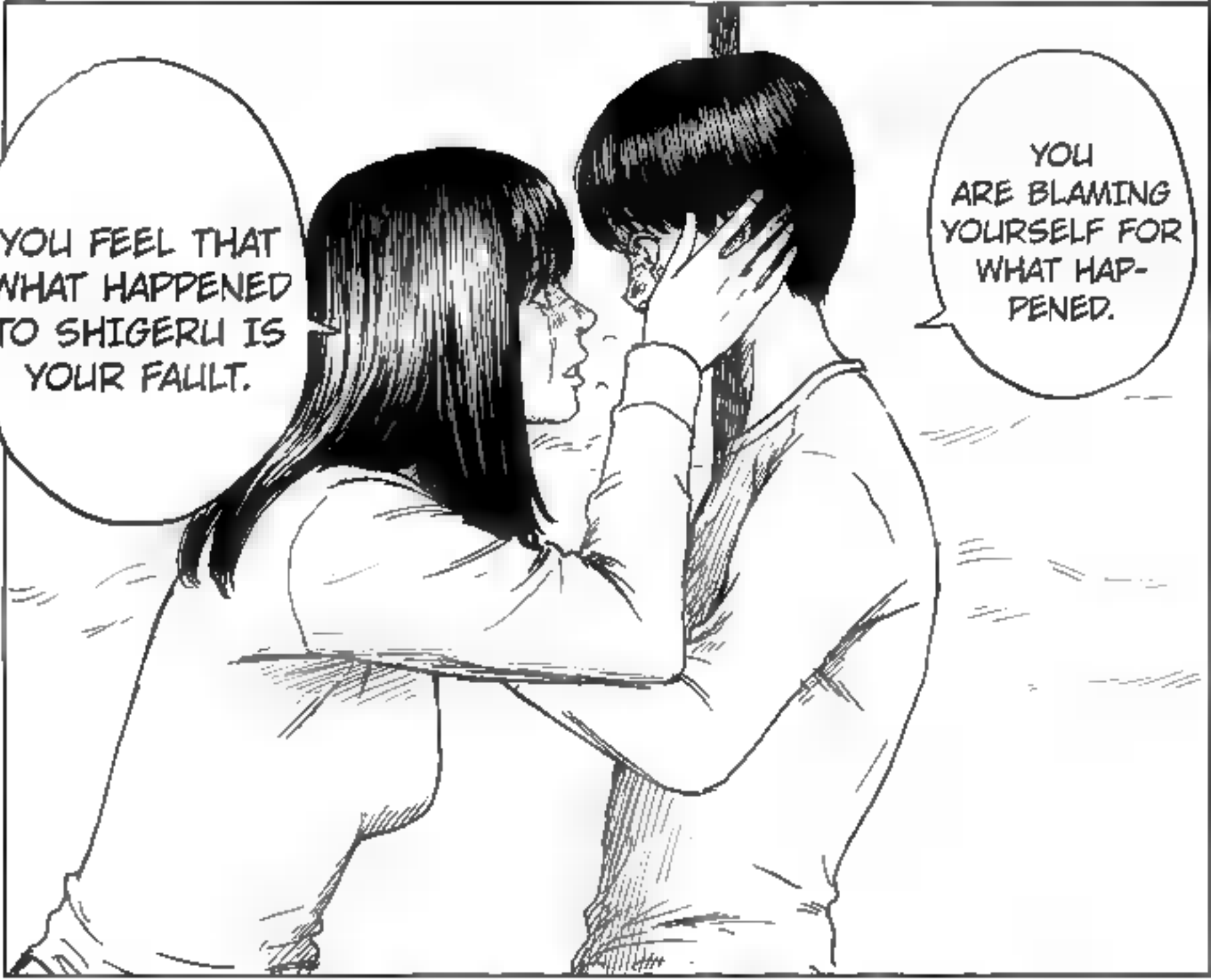












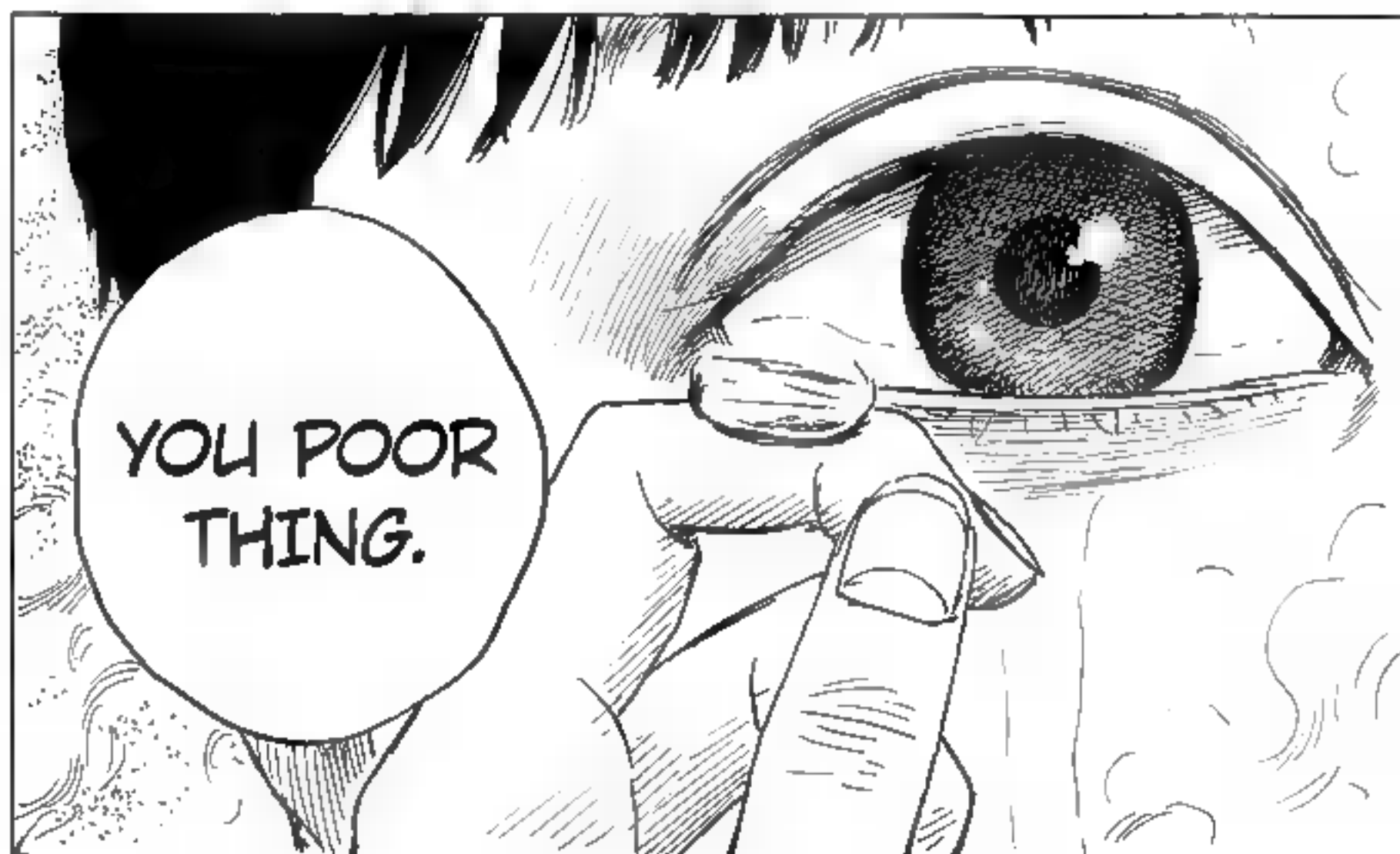
YOU FEEL THAT
WHAT HAPPENED
TO SHIGERU IS
YOUR FAULT.

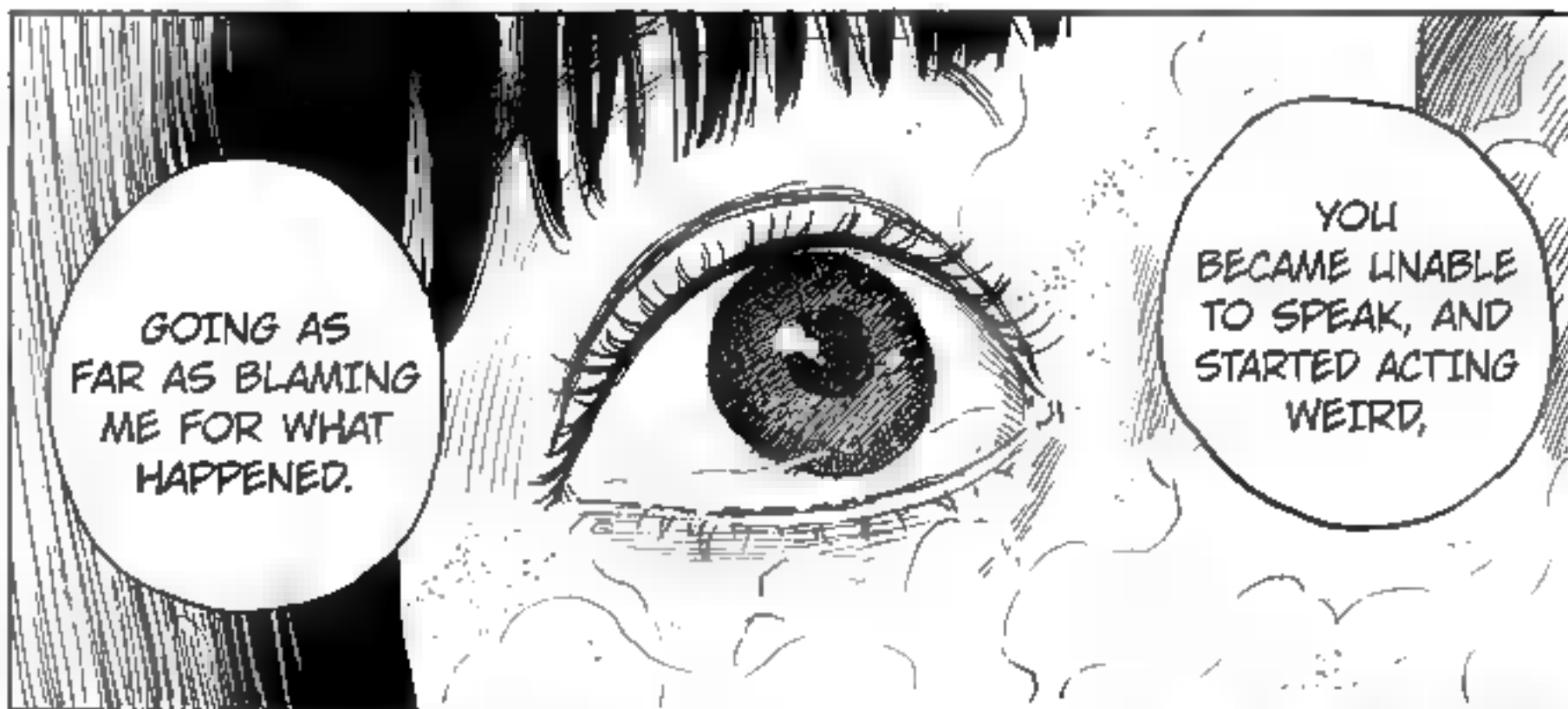
YOU
ARE BLAMING
YOURSELF FOR
WHAT HAP-
PENED.



SEI,
HONEY.

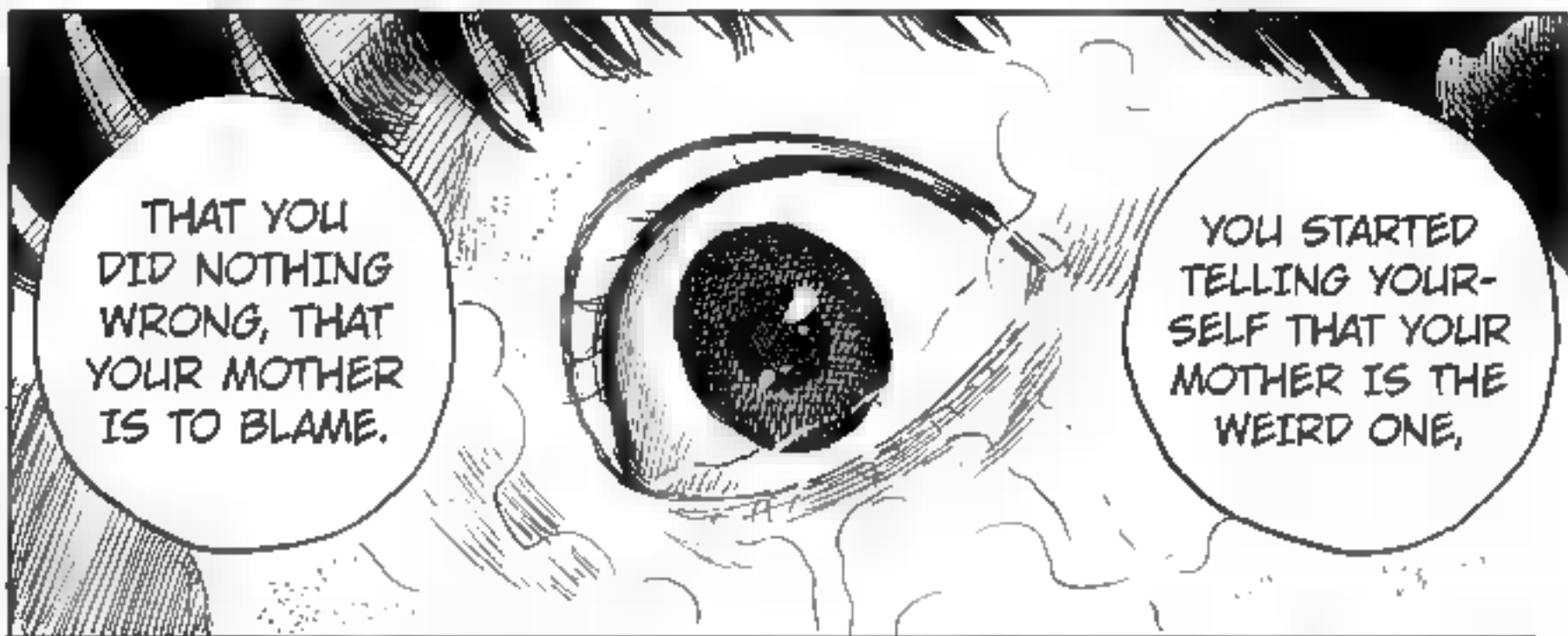
YOU'RE
SUCH A KIND
BOY,





GOING AS
FAR AS BLAMING
ME FOR WHAT
HAPPENED.

YOU
BECAME UNABLE
TO SPEAK, AND
STARTED ACTING
WEIRD,




THAT YOU
DID NOTHING
WRONG, THAT
YOUR MOTHER
IS TO BLAME.

YOU STARTED
TELLING YOUR-
SELF THAT YOUR
MOTHER IS THE
WEIRD ONE,



YOU POOR
THING.

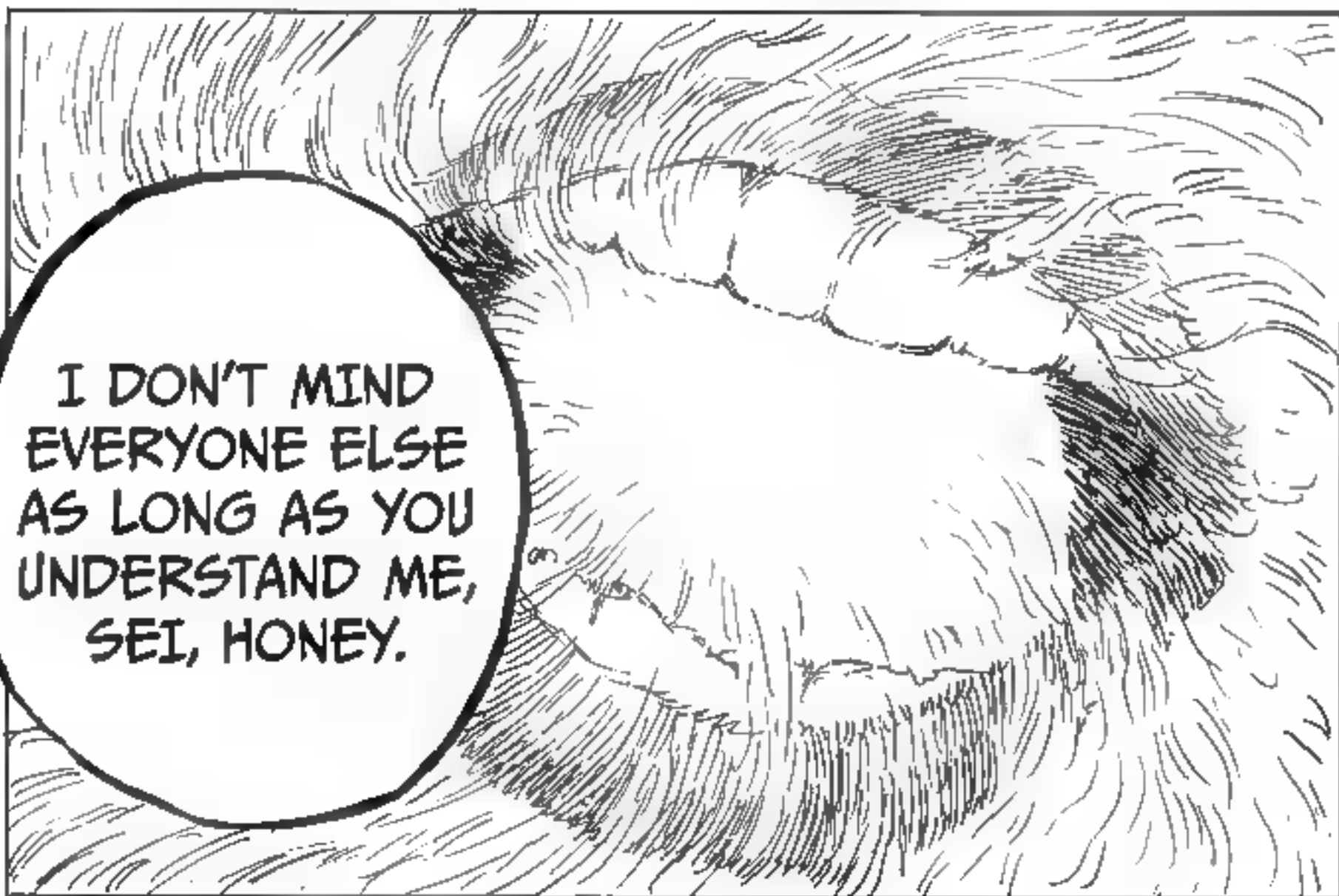




I WAS GOING
THROUGH THE
SAME THING.

I WAS
IN PAIN
TOO...!

JUST LIKE
YOU, SEI,
HONEY.





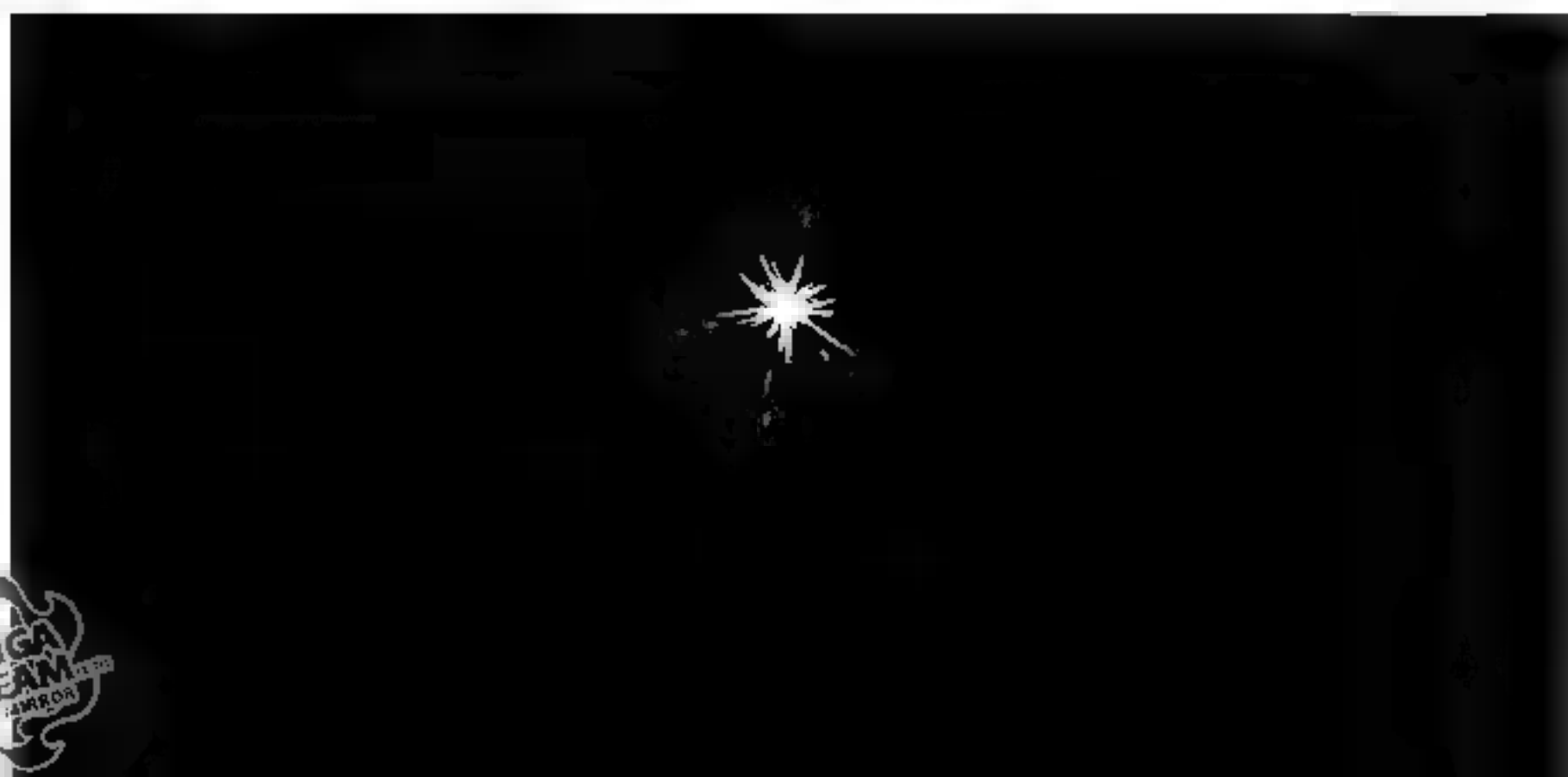
NOW,
REMEMBER.

PLEASE,
SEI.



REMEMBER
WHAT REALLY
HAPPENED...

THAT
DAY IN THE
WOODS...

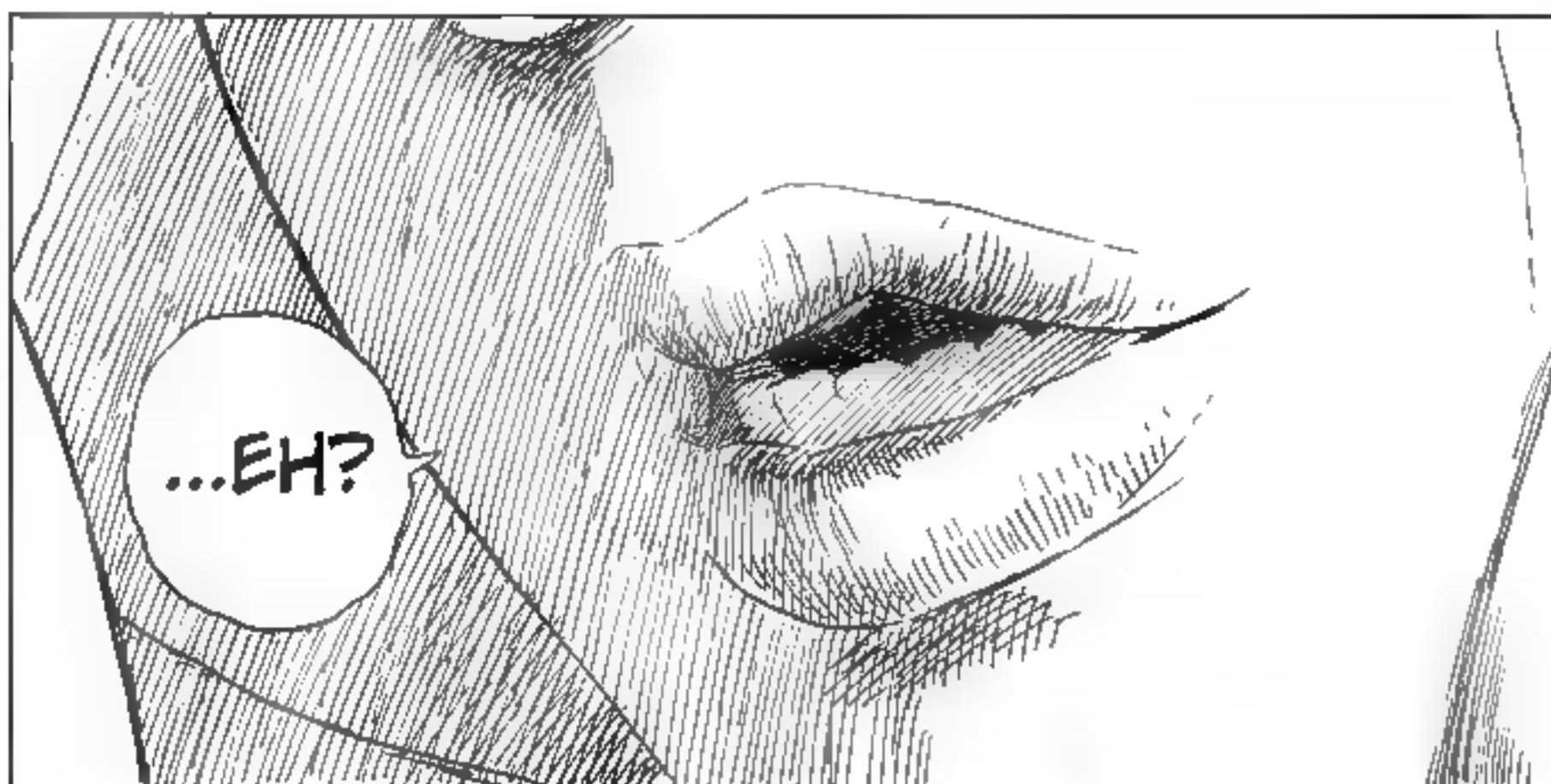


SHIGE-
RU!











...EH?

WHAT A SHOCK... WERE SEI'S MEMORIES...
SUCCESSFULLY UPDATED!?

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SEI'S MEMORIES... ARE BEING REWRITTEN...!?

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CHAPTER 46: DISCOVERY



YOU
REMEMBER
NOW.

LOOKS
LIKE,



OSHIMI
SHUZO

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THE IMAGE OF MOM PUSHING SHIGERU OFF THE CLIF...

EH...?

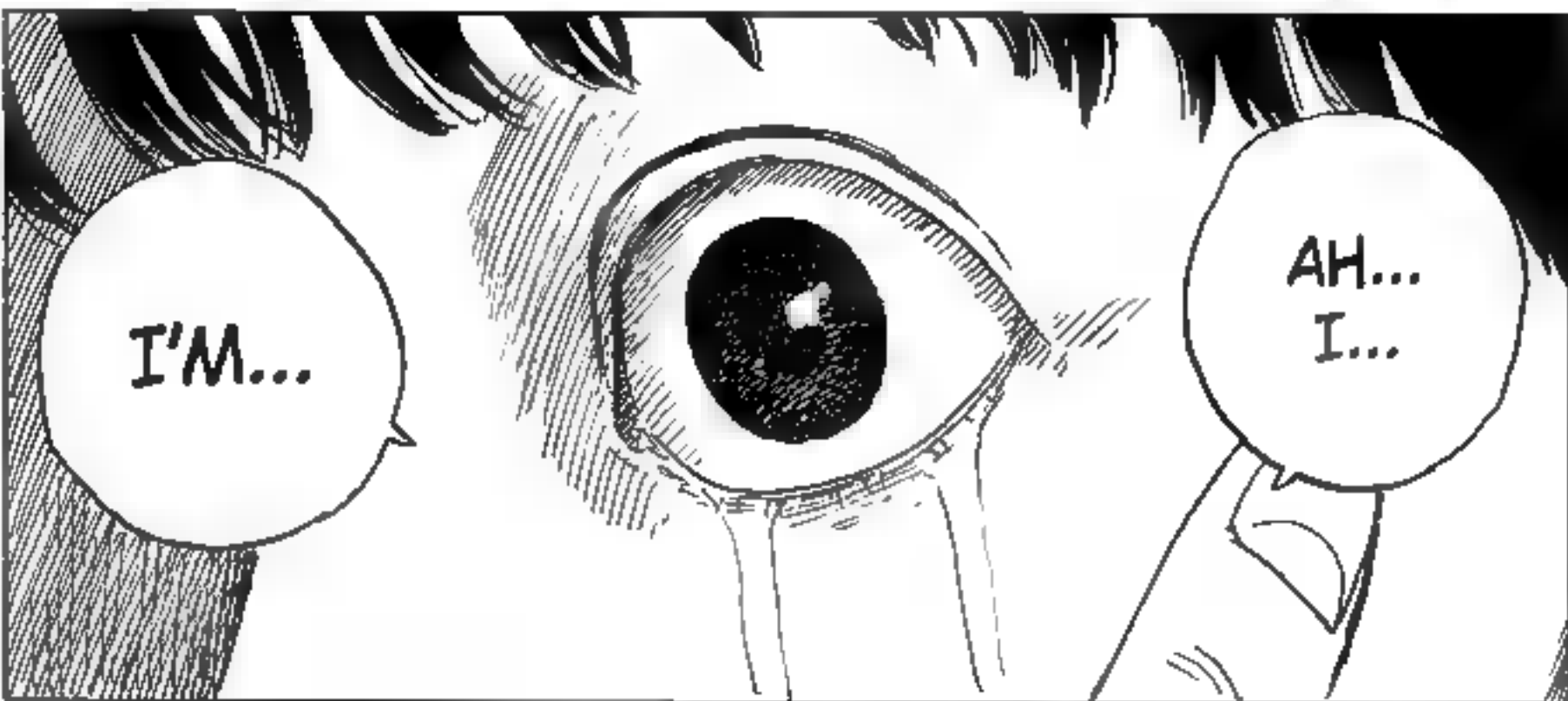


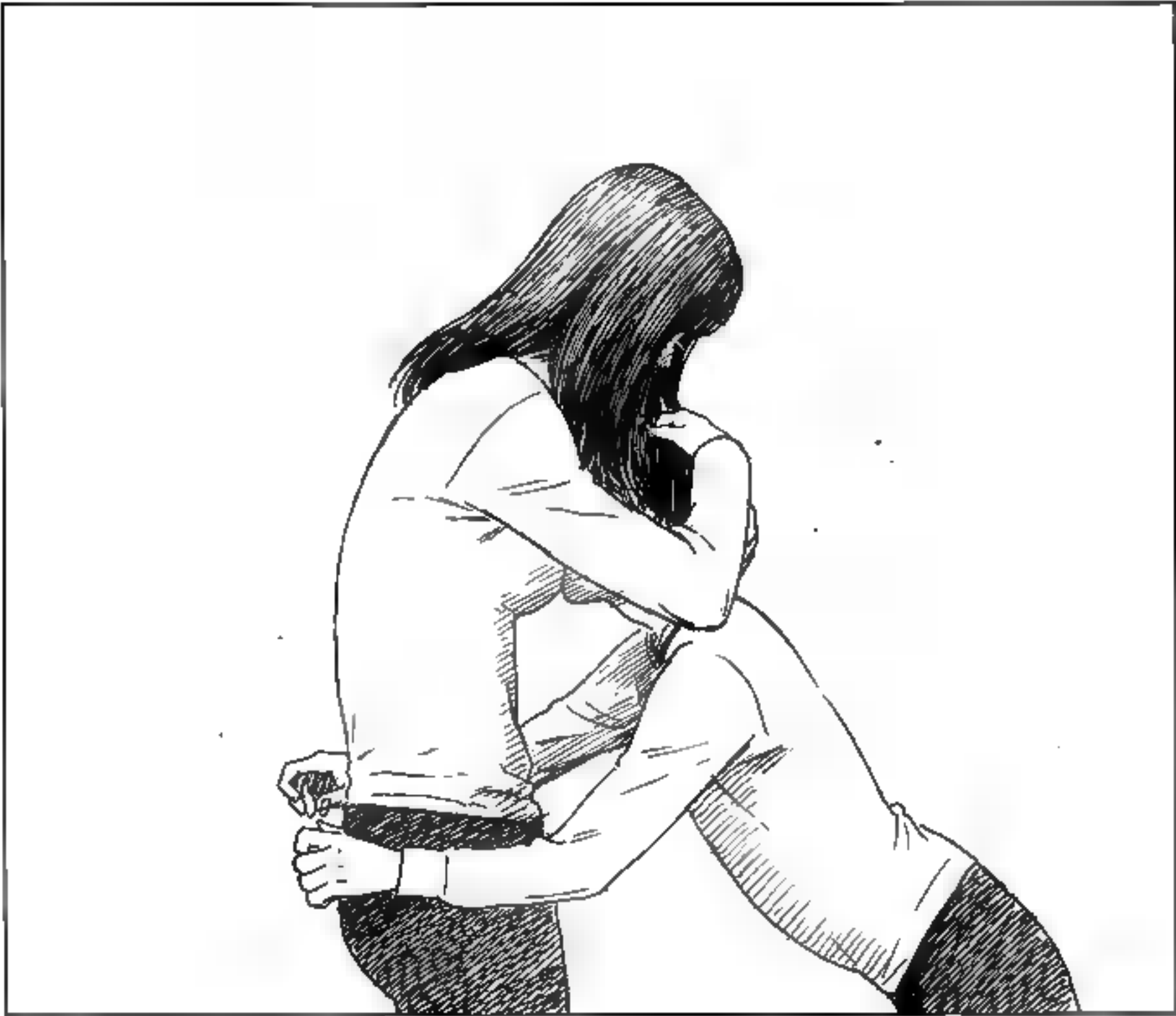
IS DISTORTING... BENDING... UNTIL...

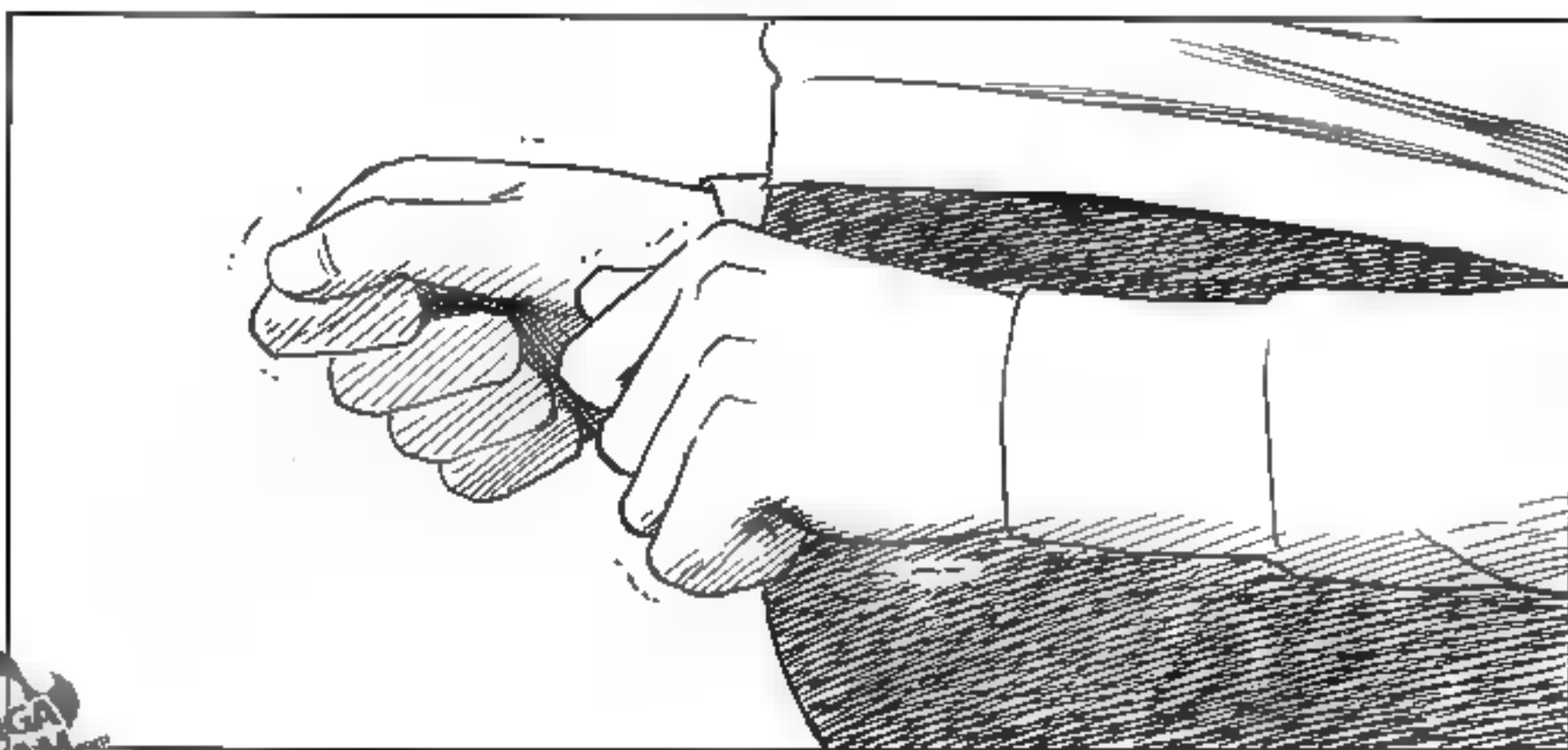
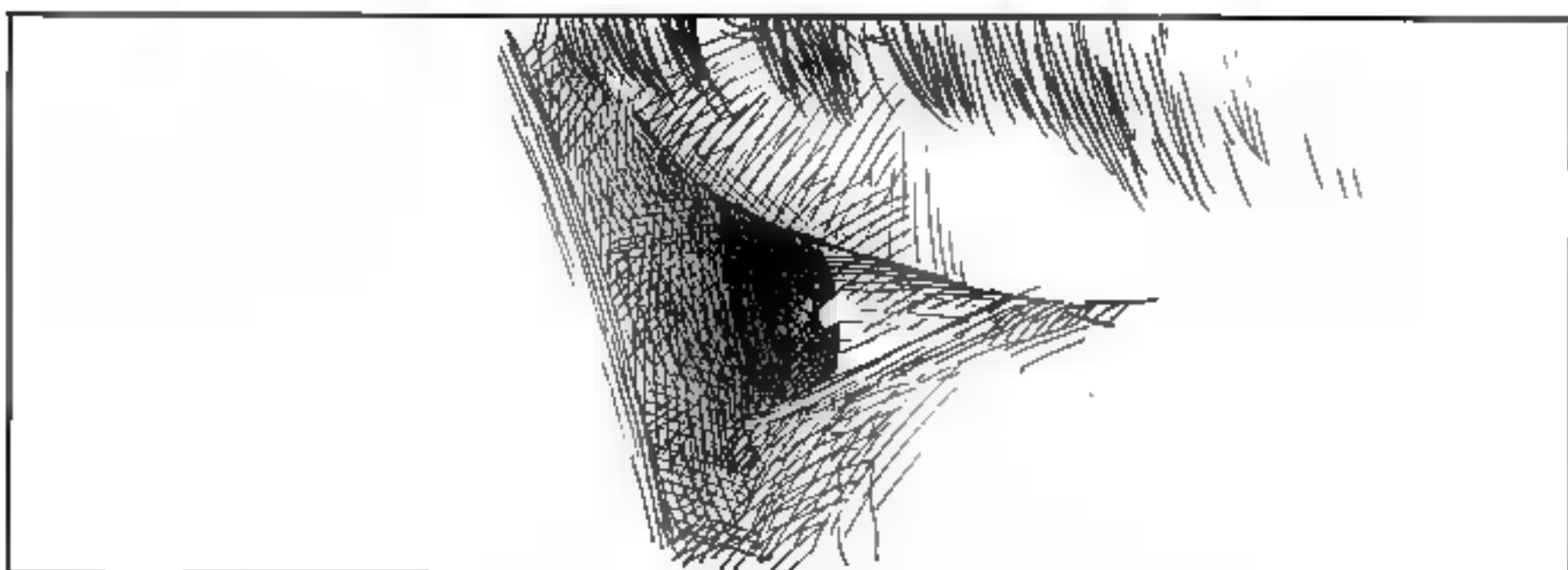
I...

AH...
I'M...









UWAA...

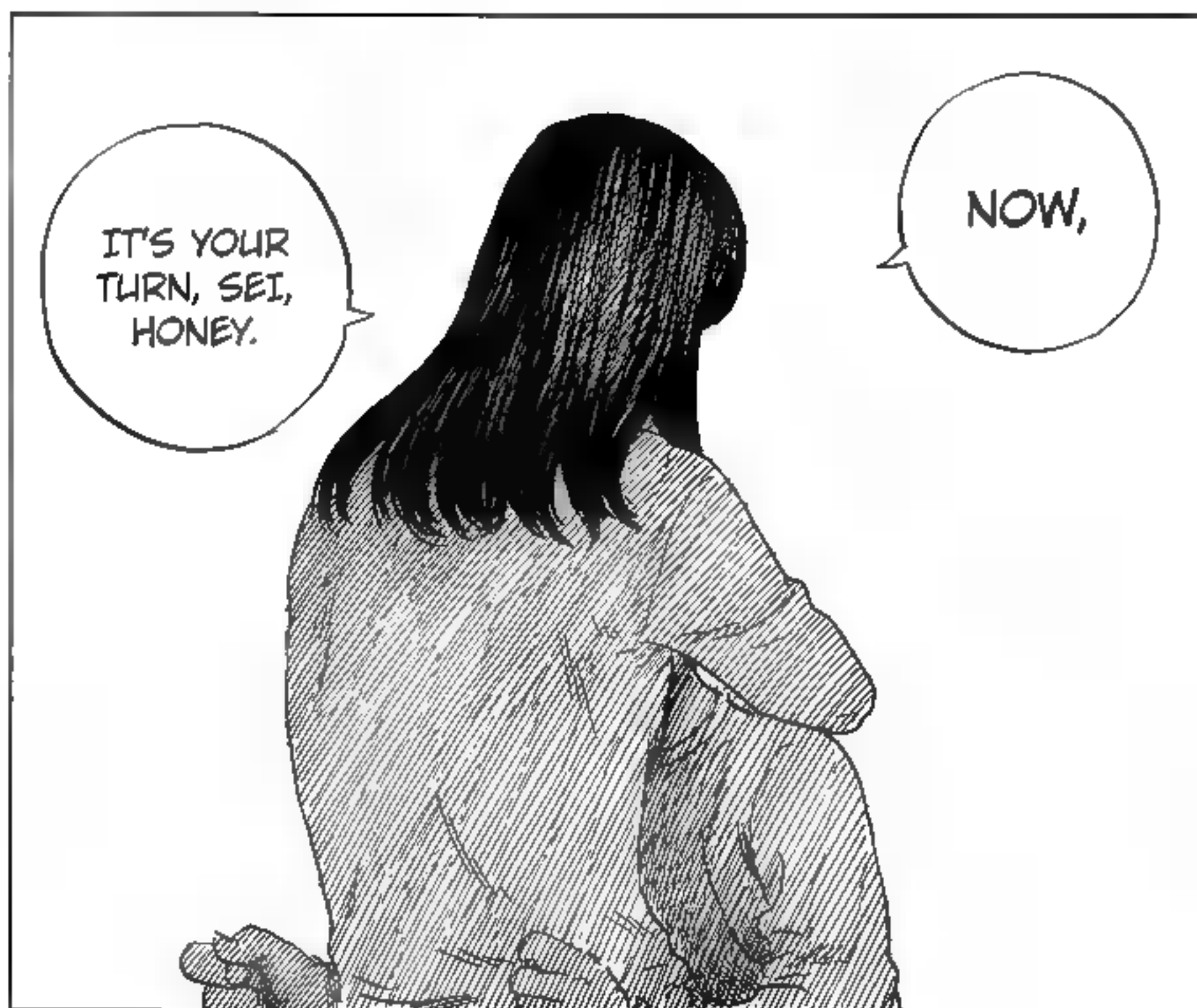
UHAAA...

UUH...
OUH...



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WHERE
WERE
YOU?

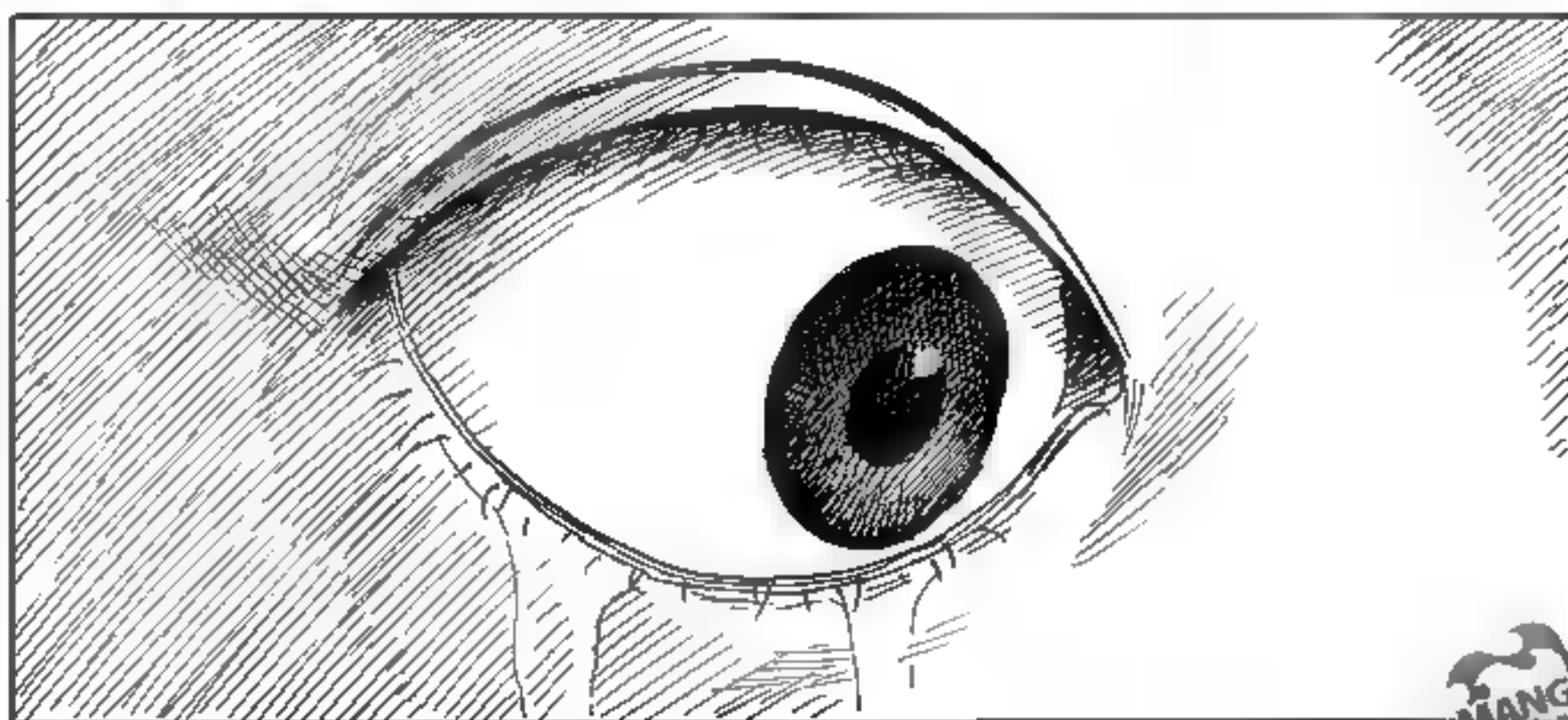
WHAT
WERE YOU
UP TO?

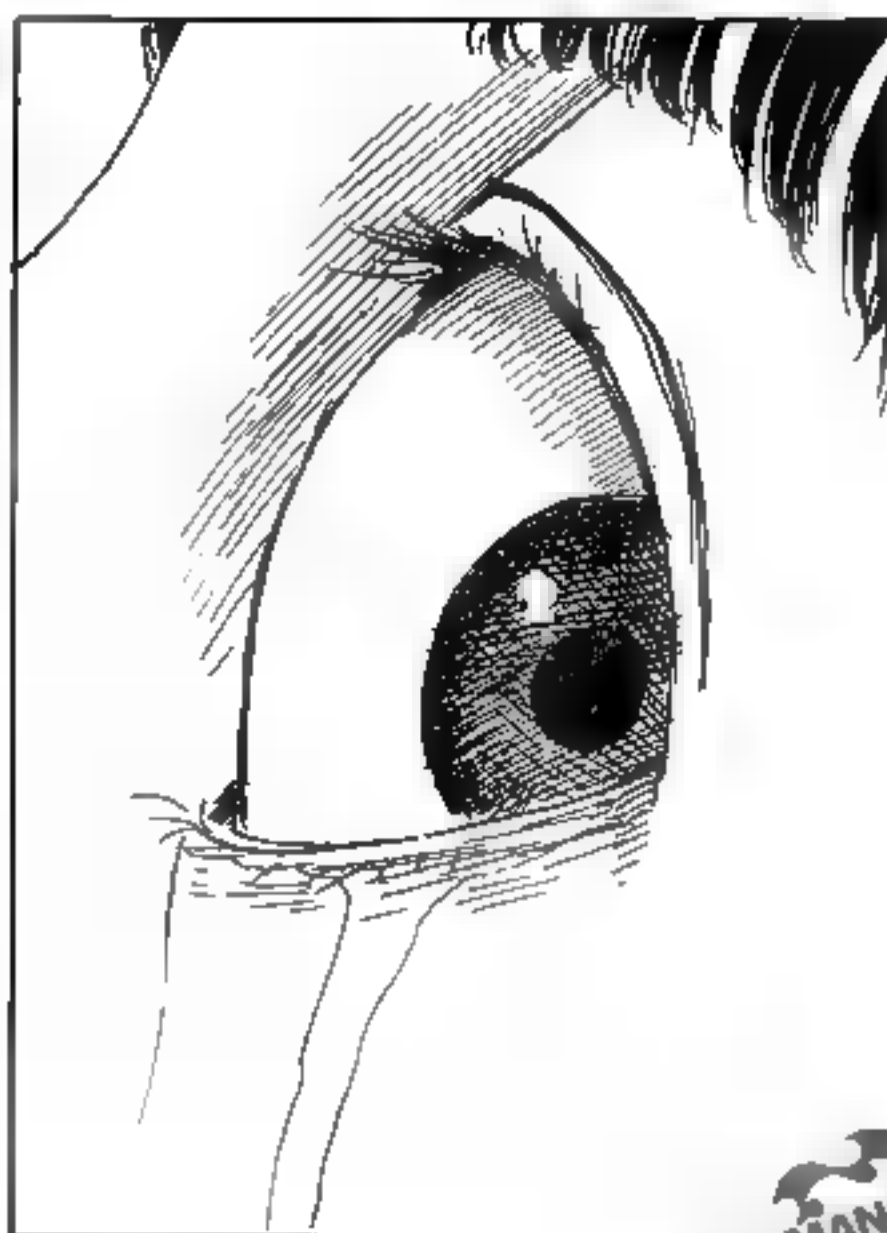
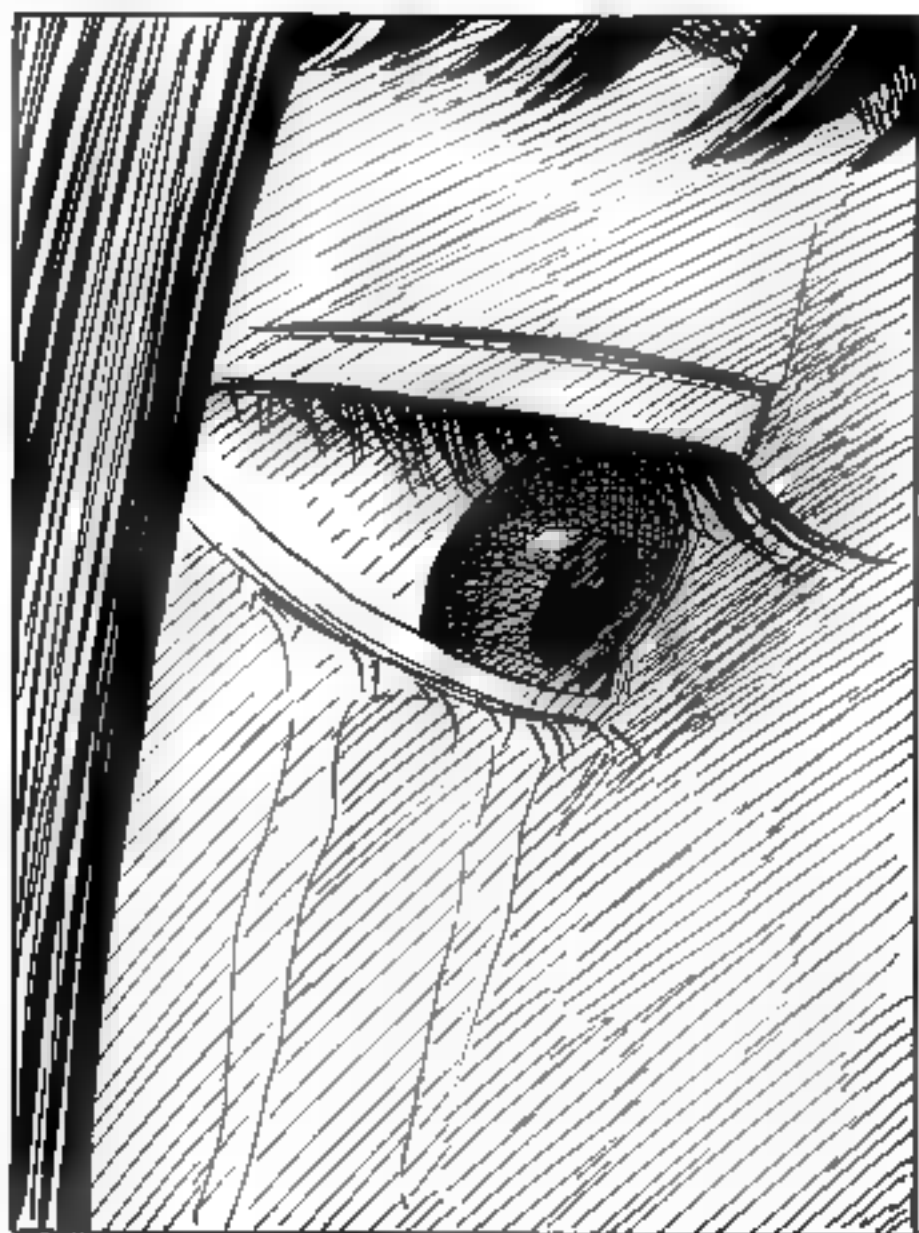
ALL THIS
TIME, SINCE
YESTERDAY.

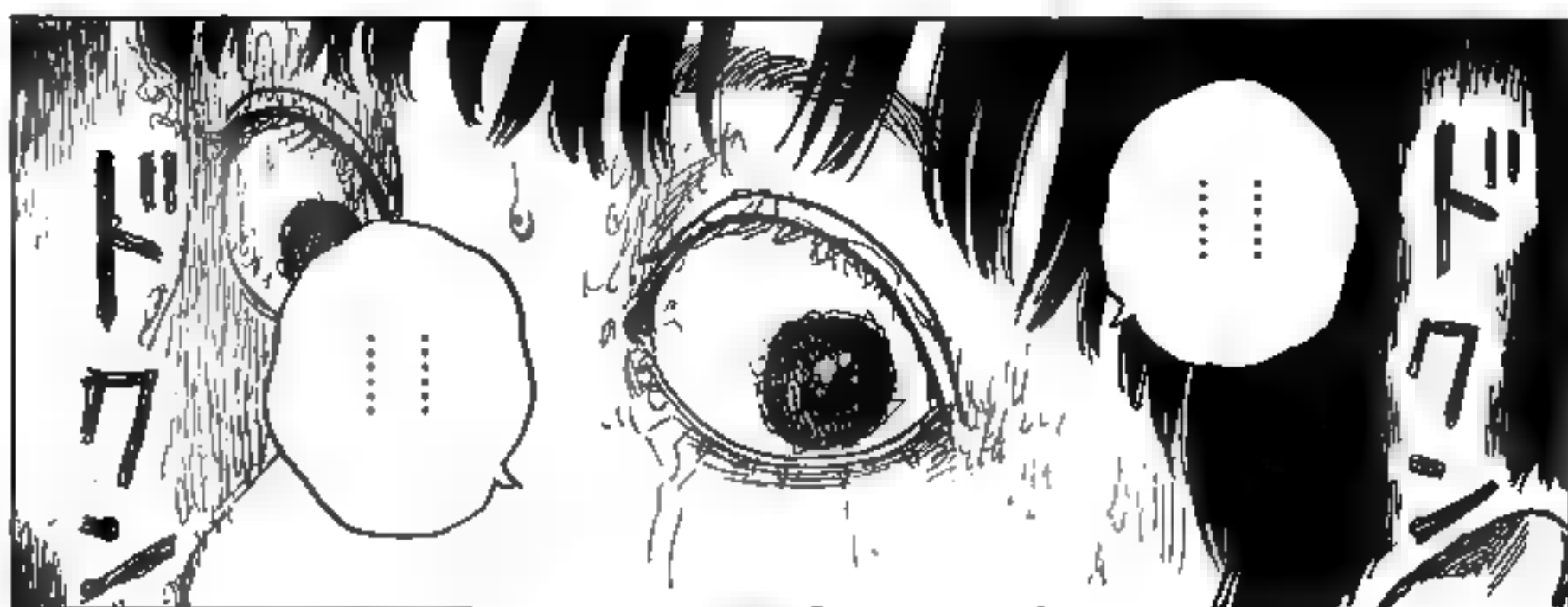


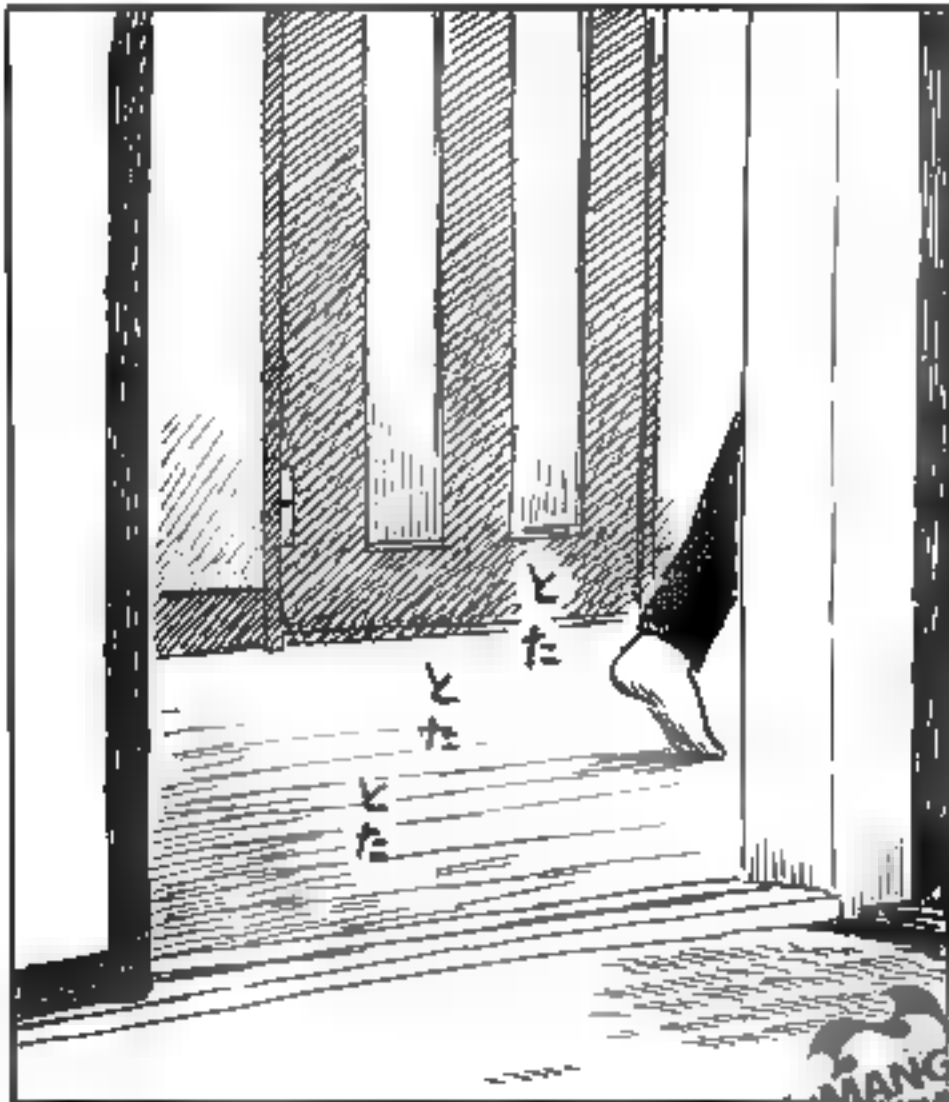
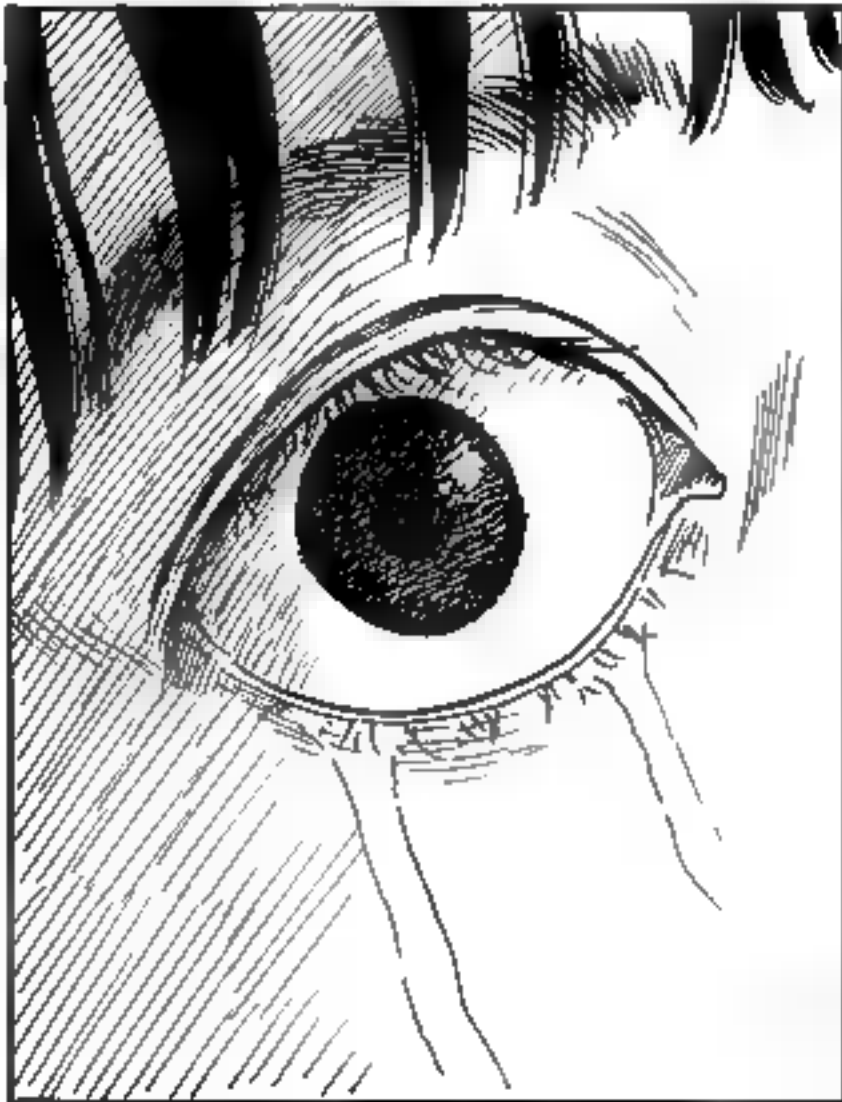
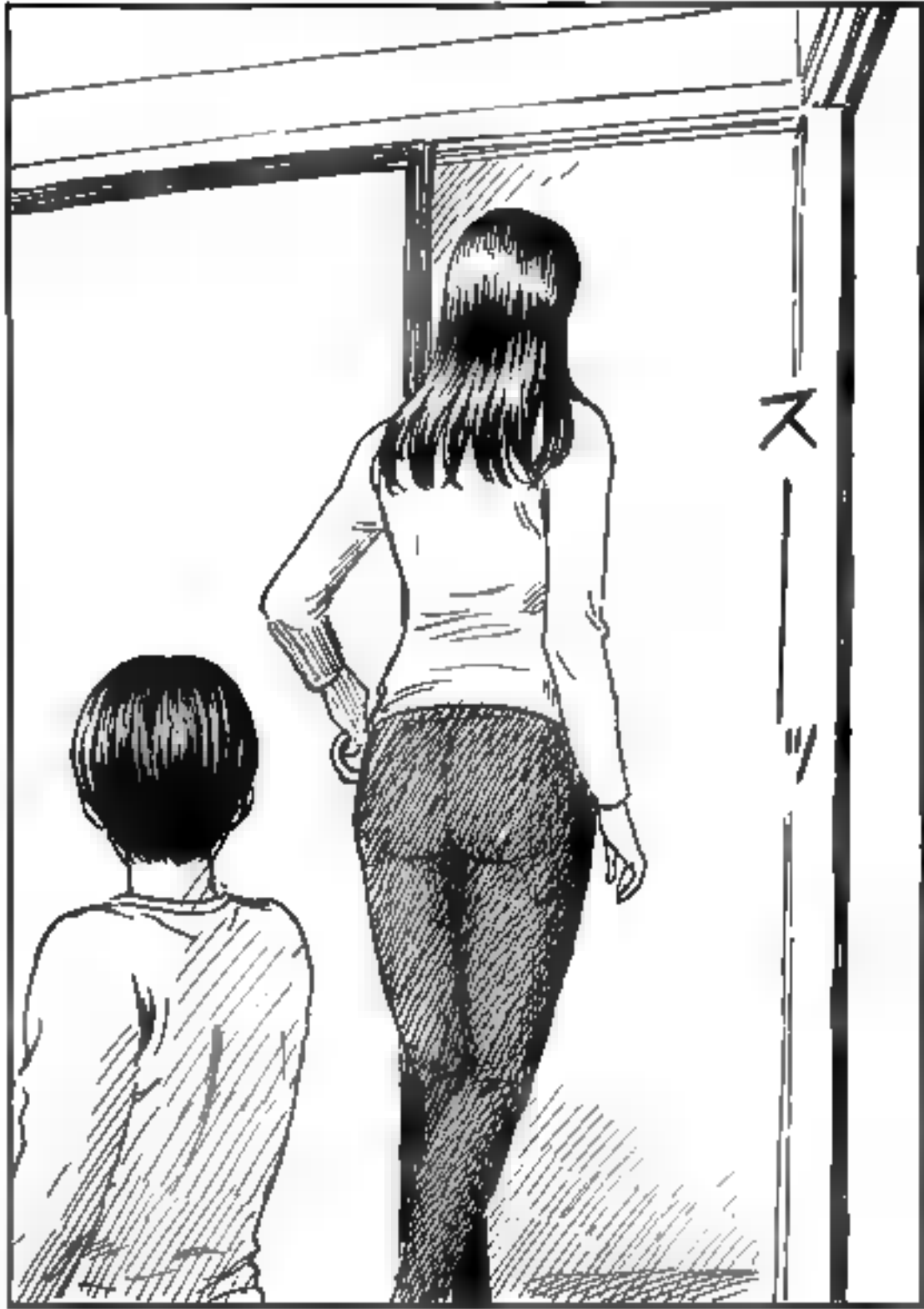
I WON'T
GET MAD... I
PROMISE.

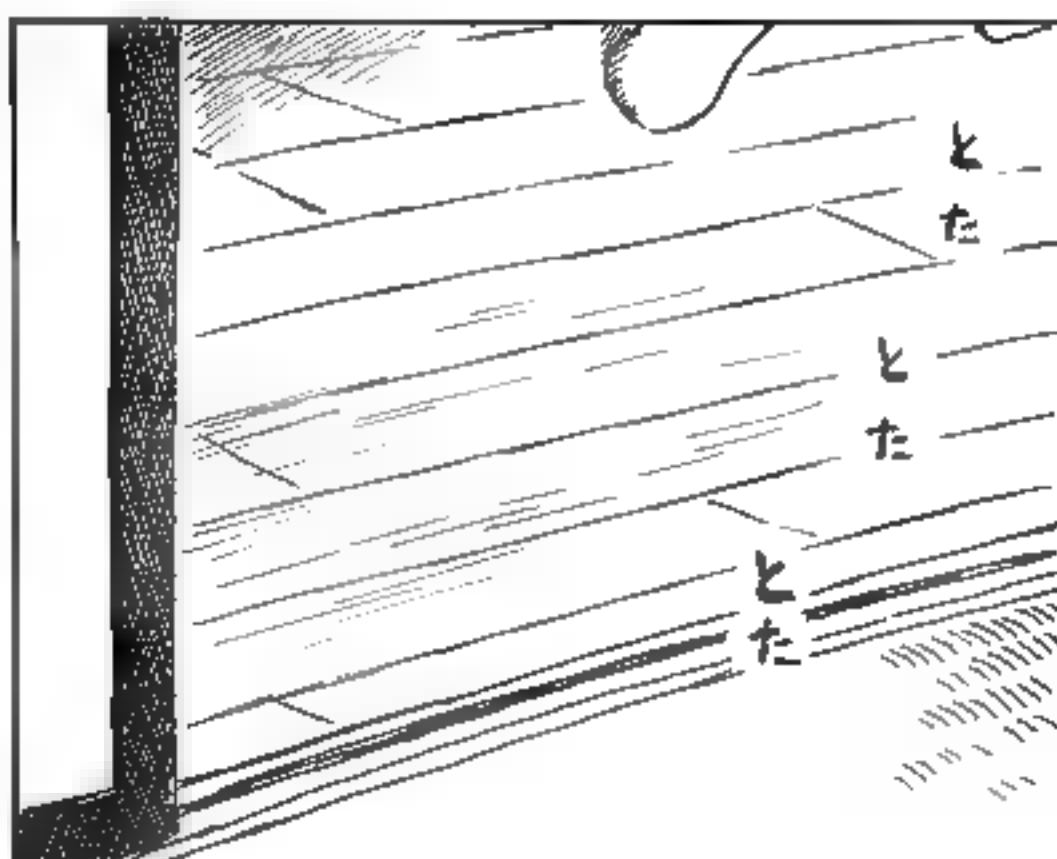
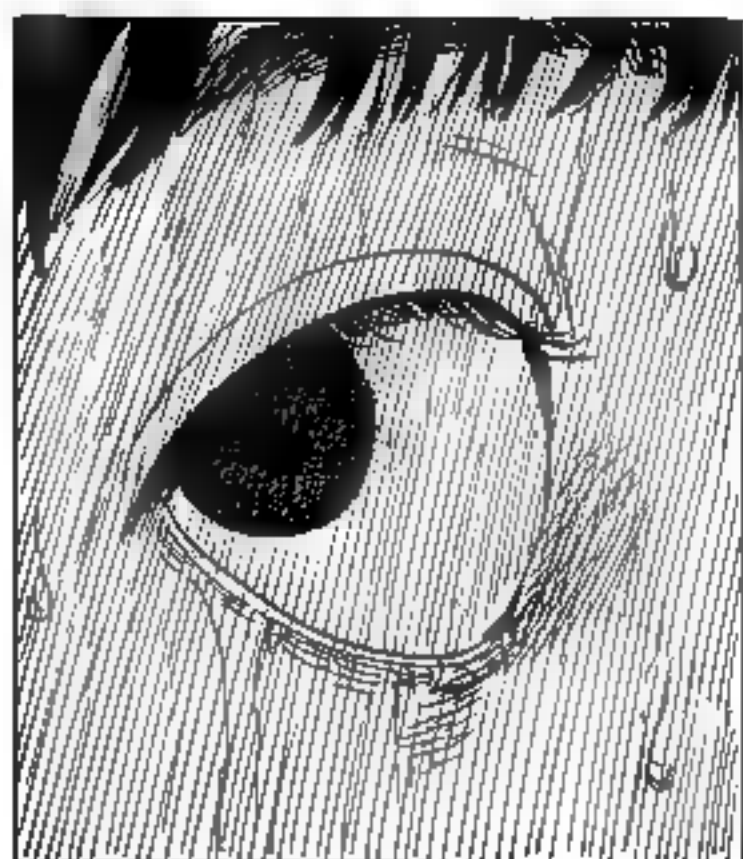
TELL
ME.



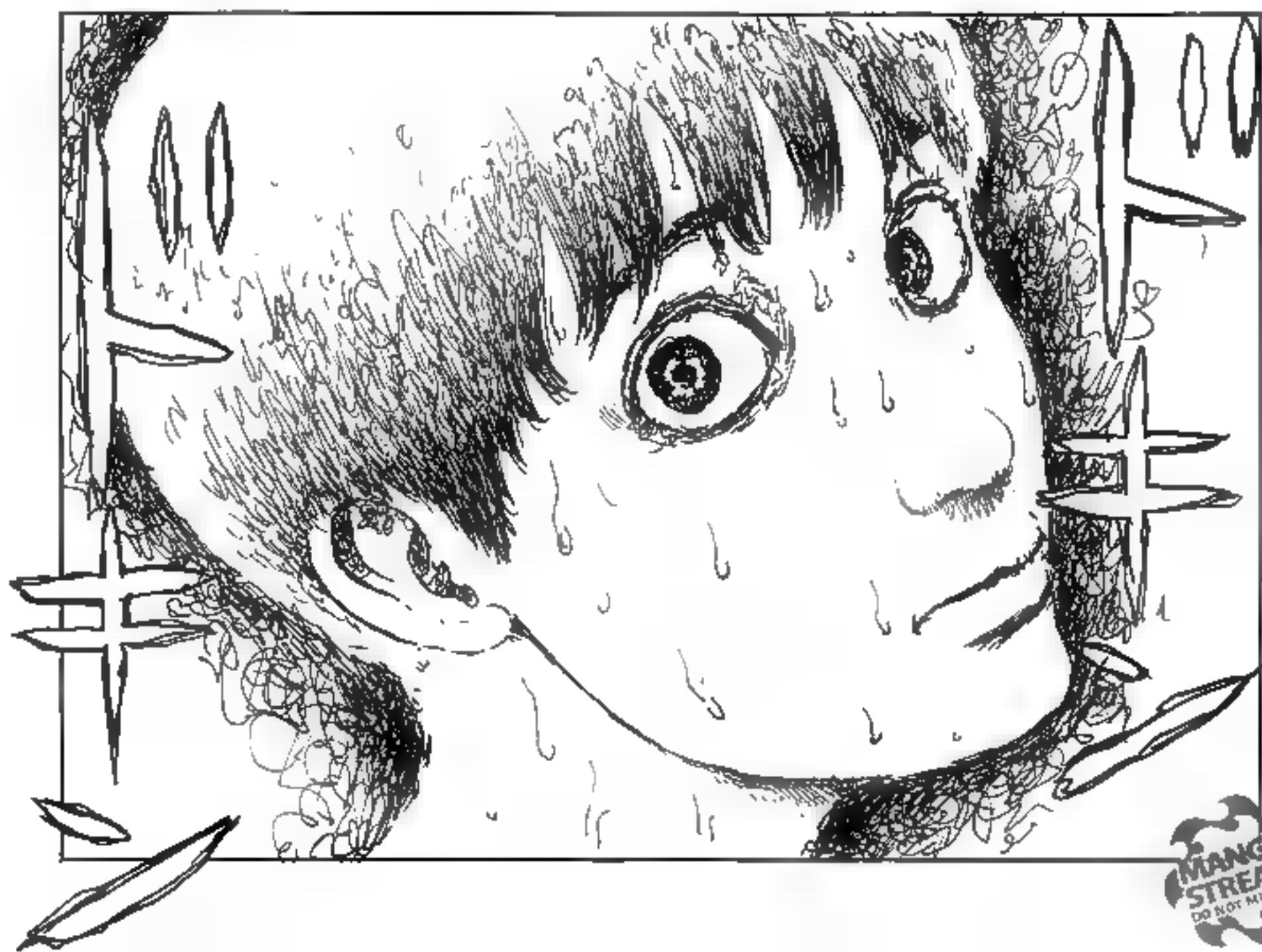
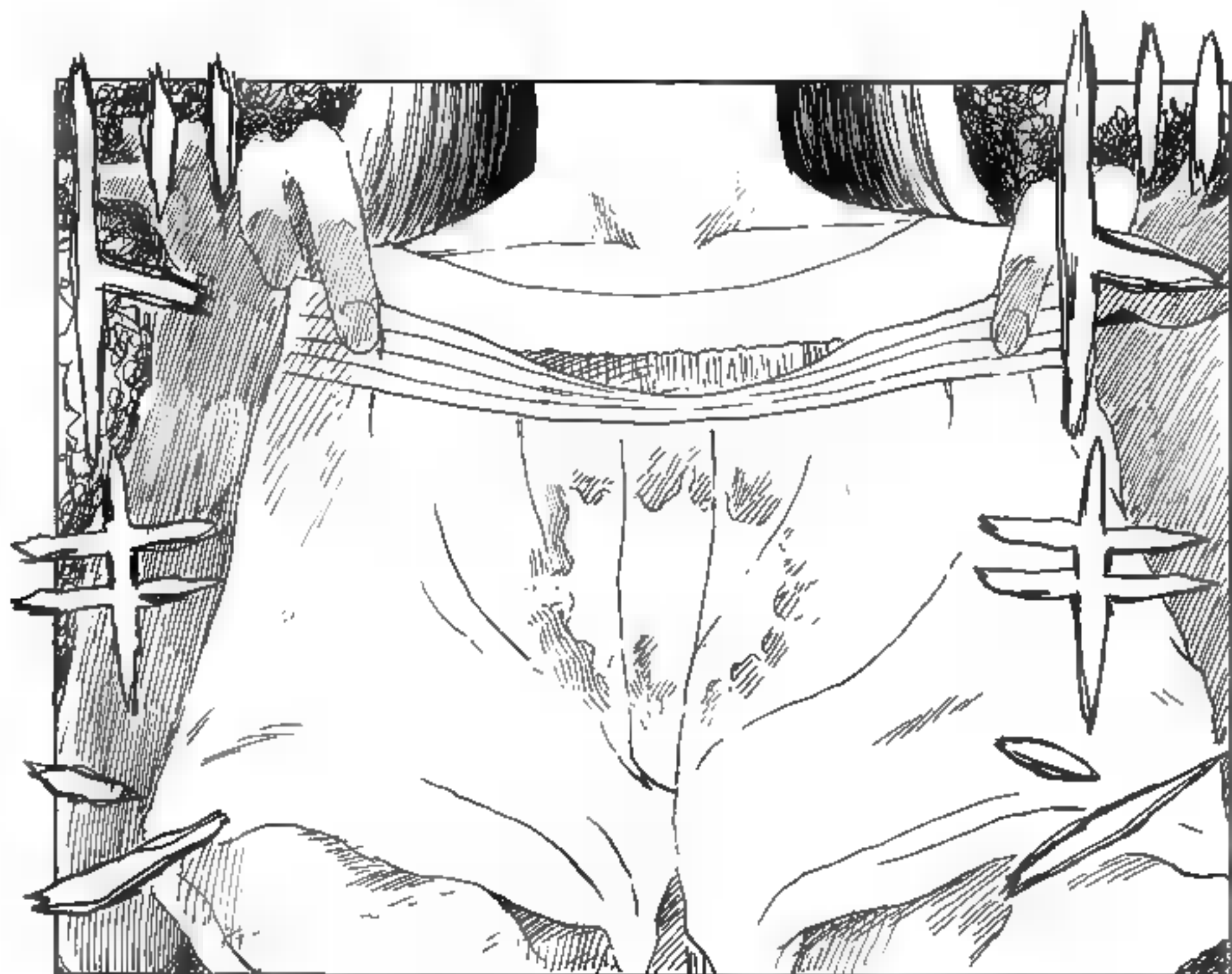


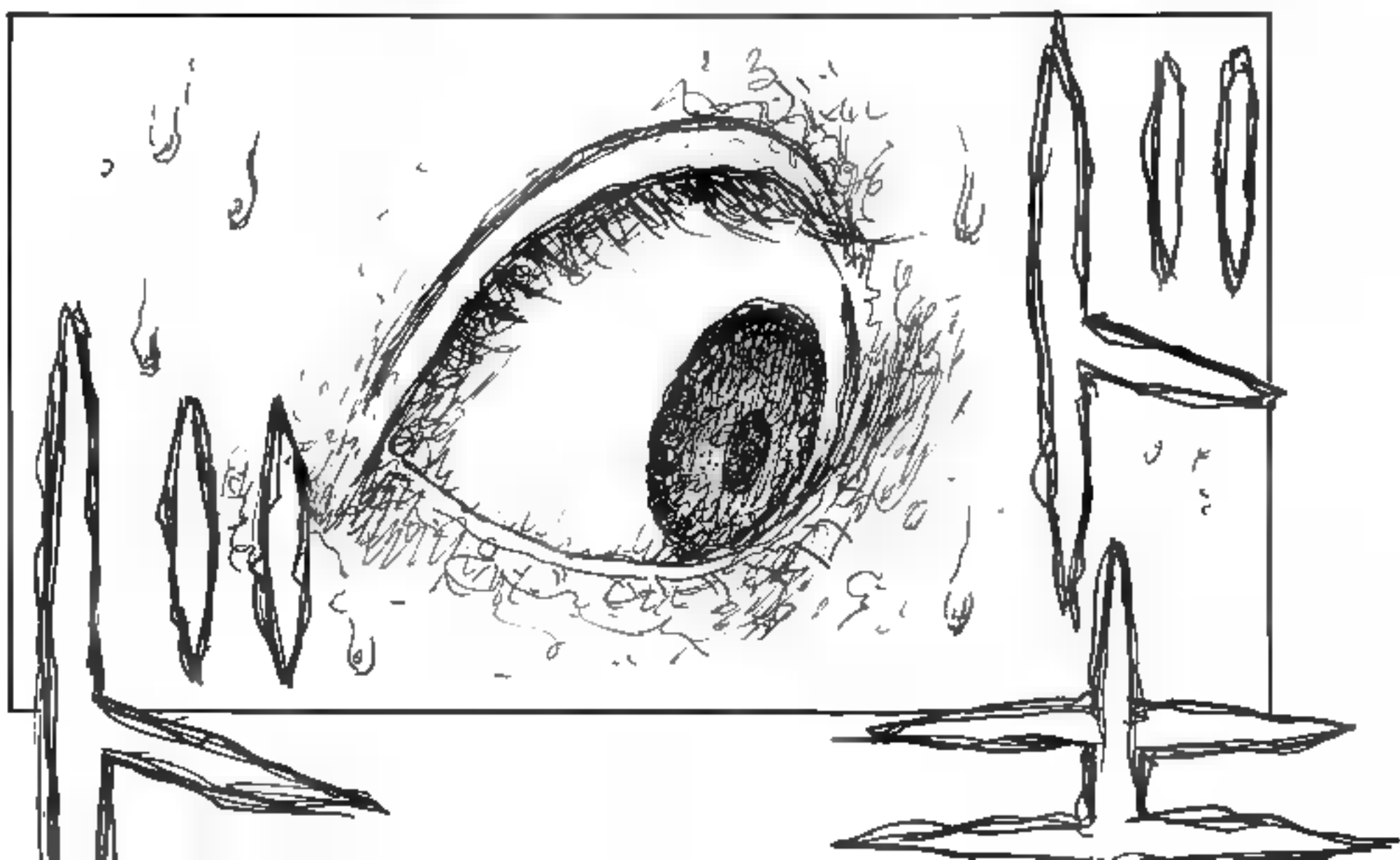


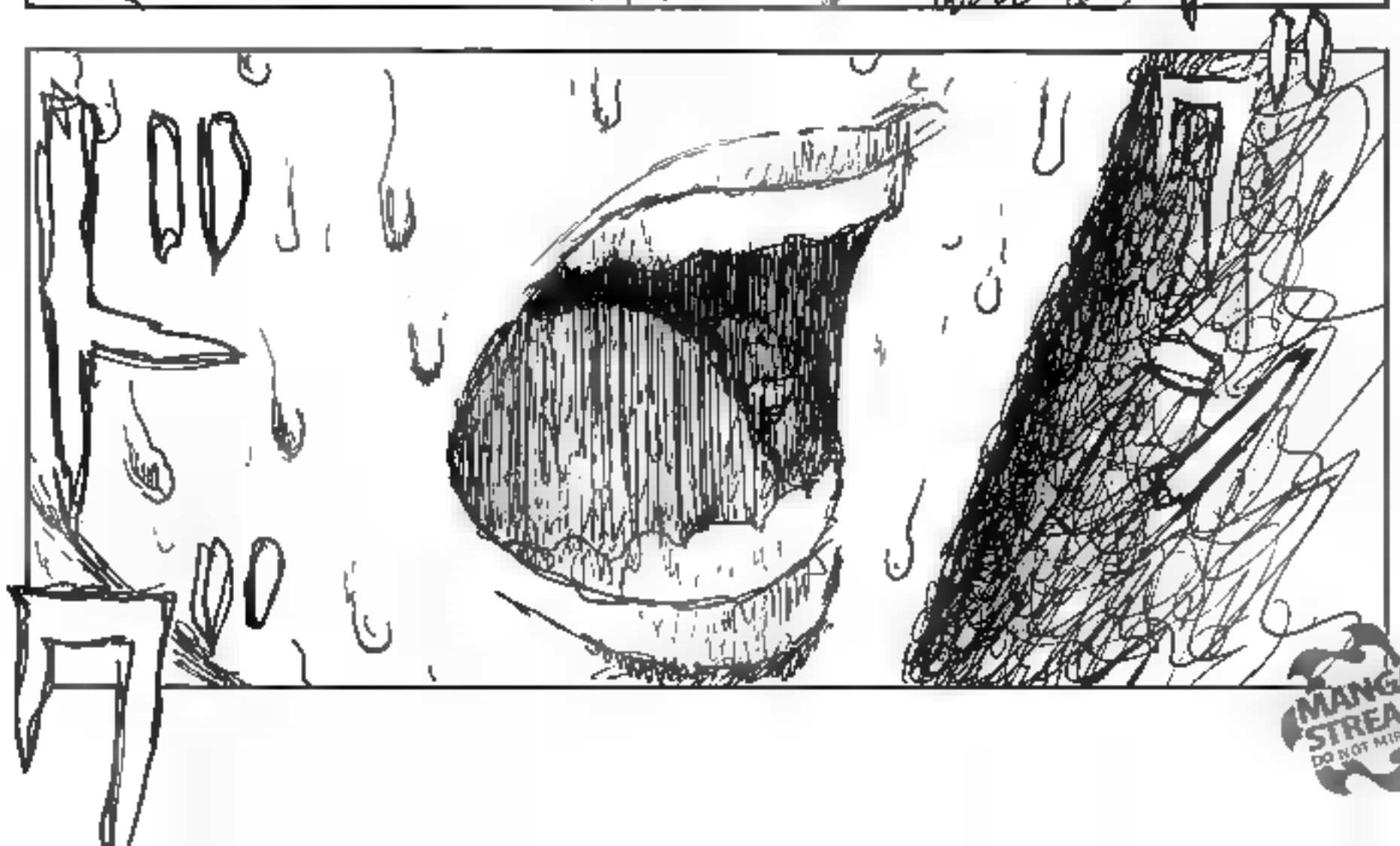
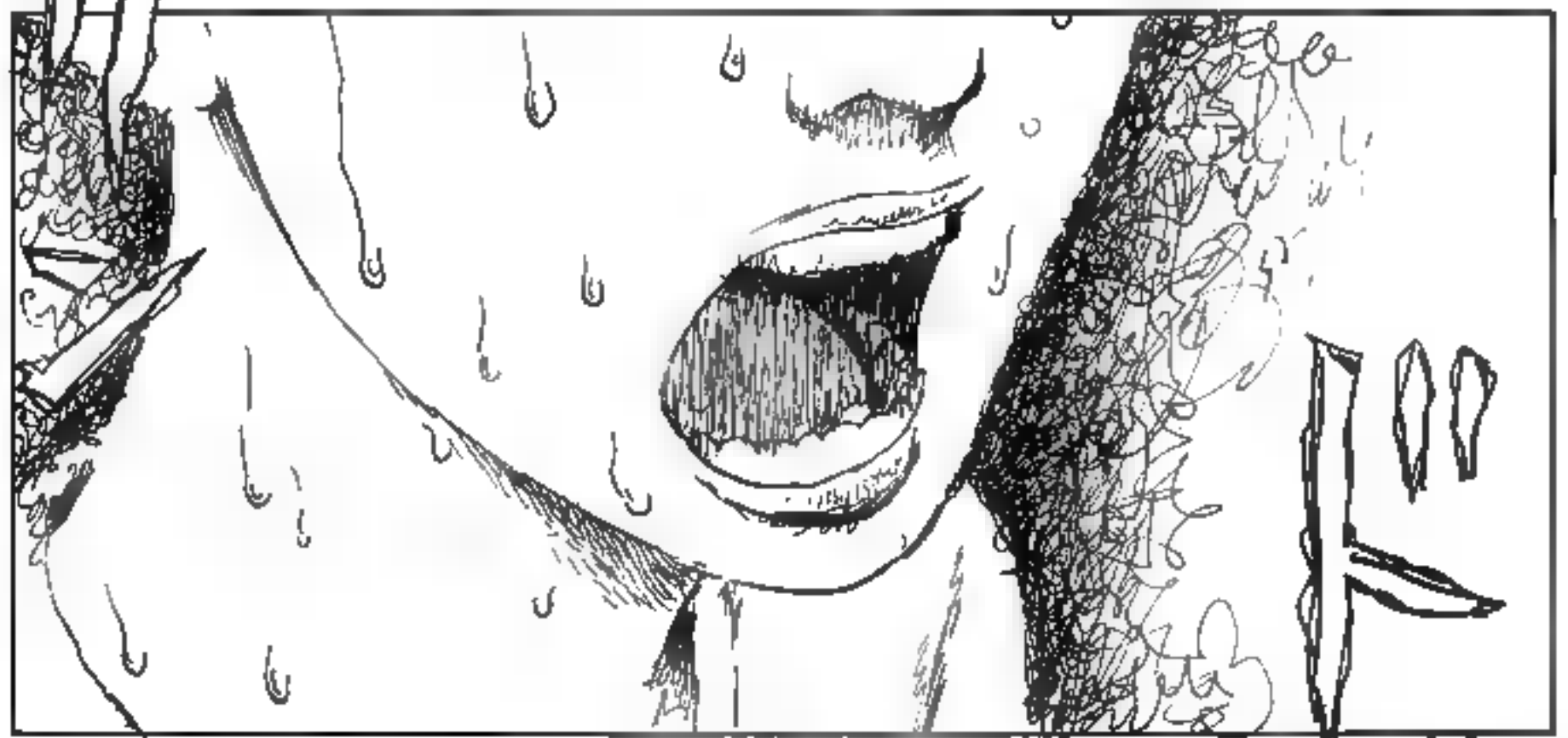






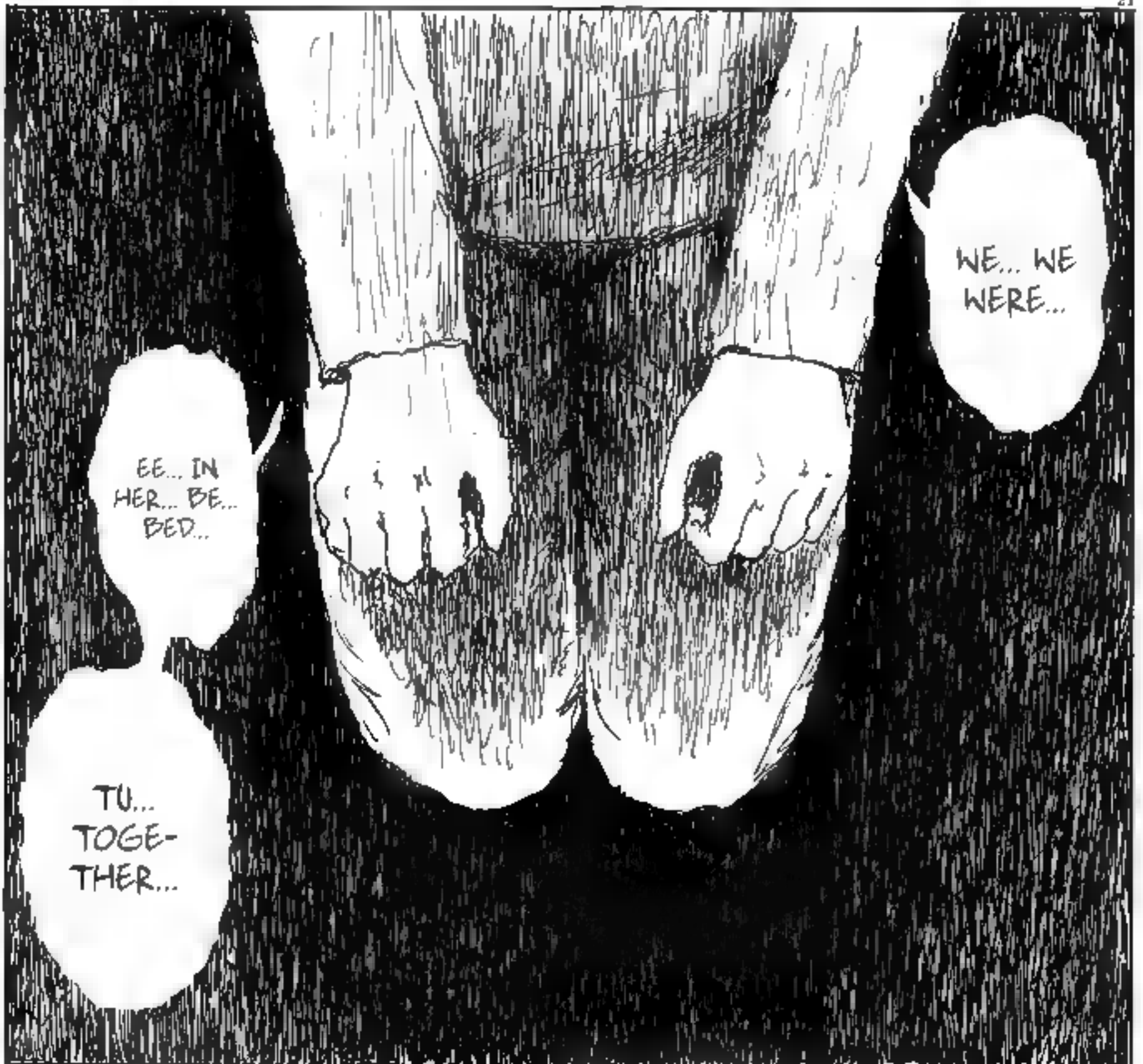
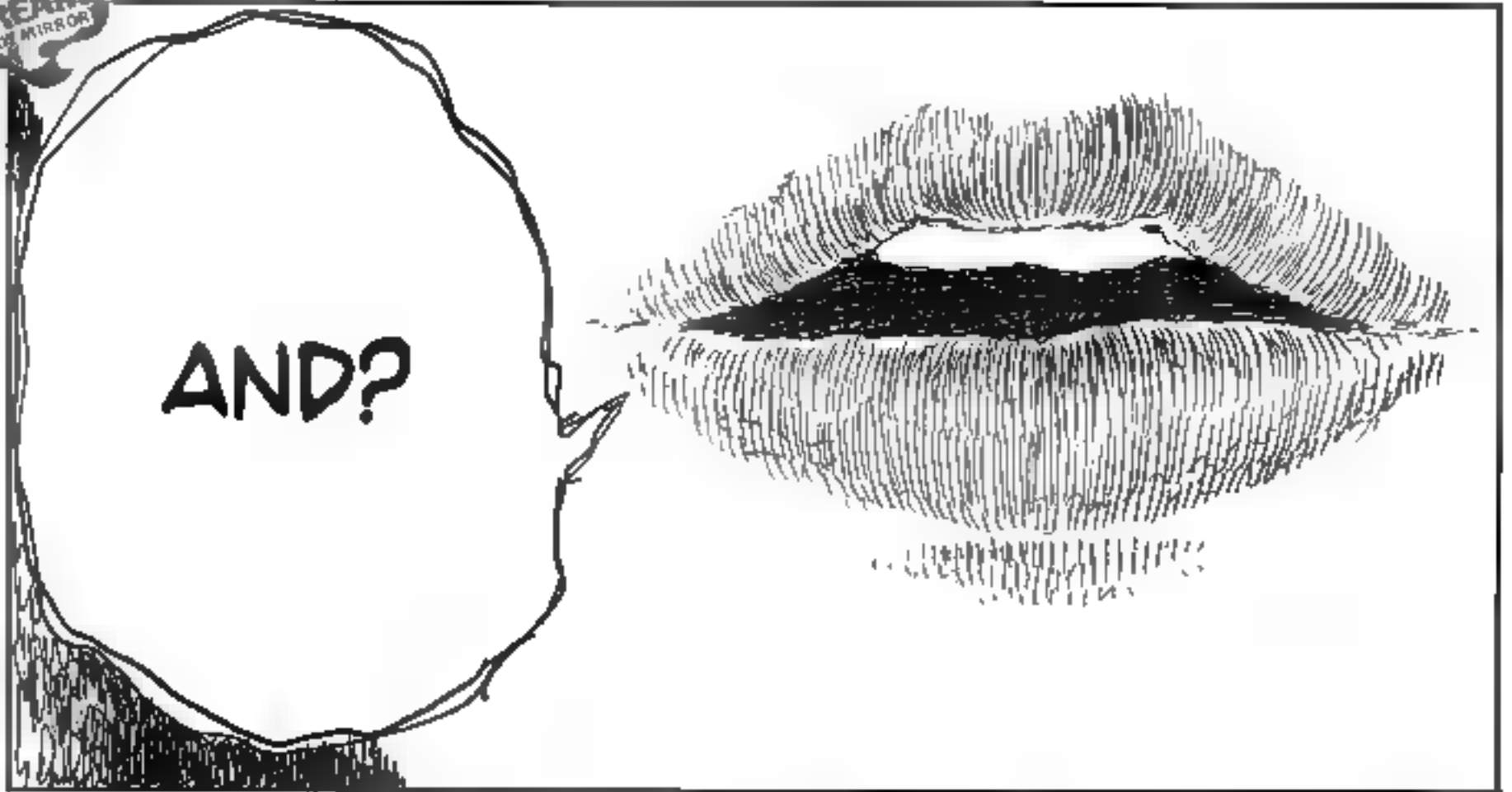






AH... I
WAS...

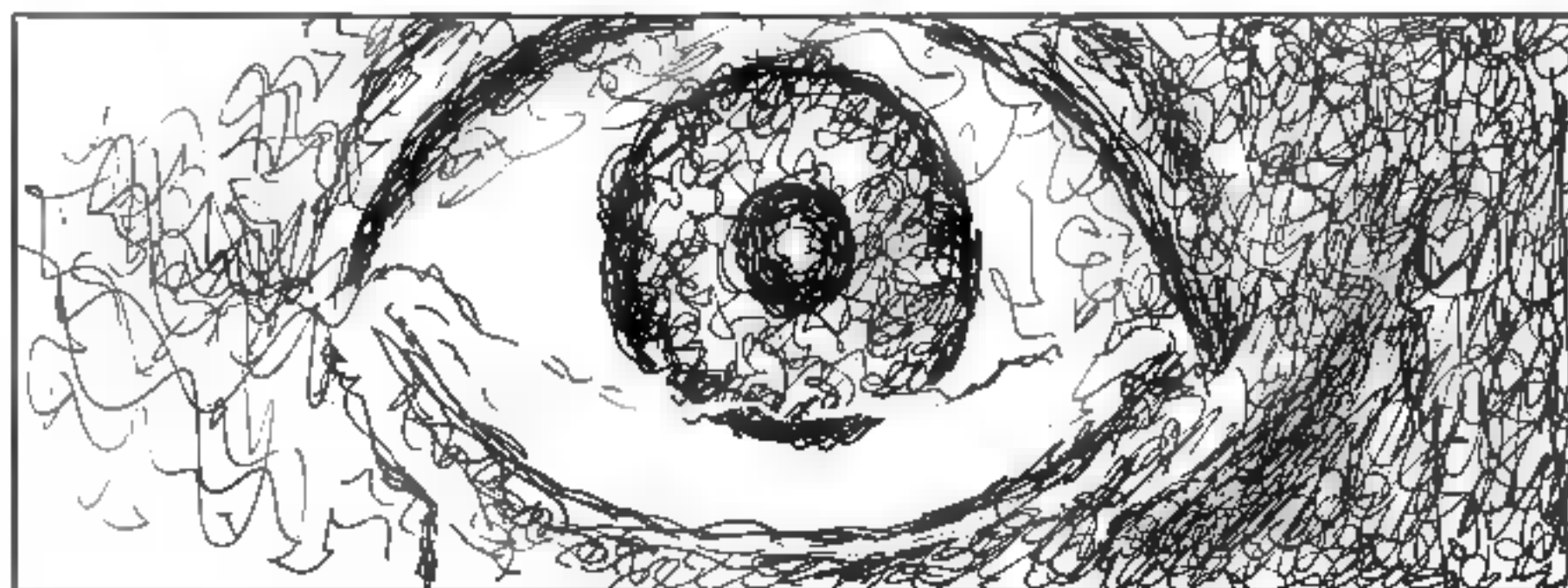
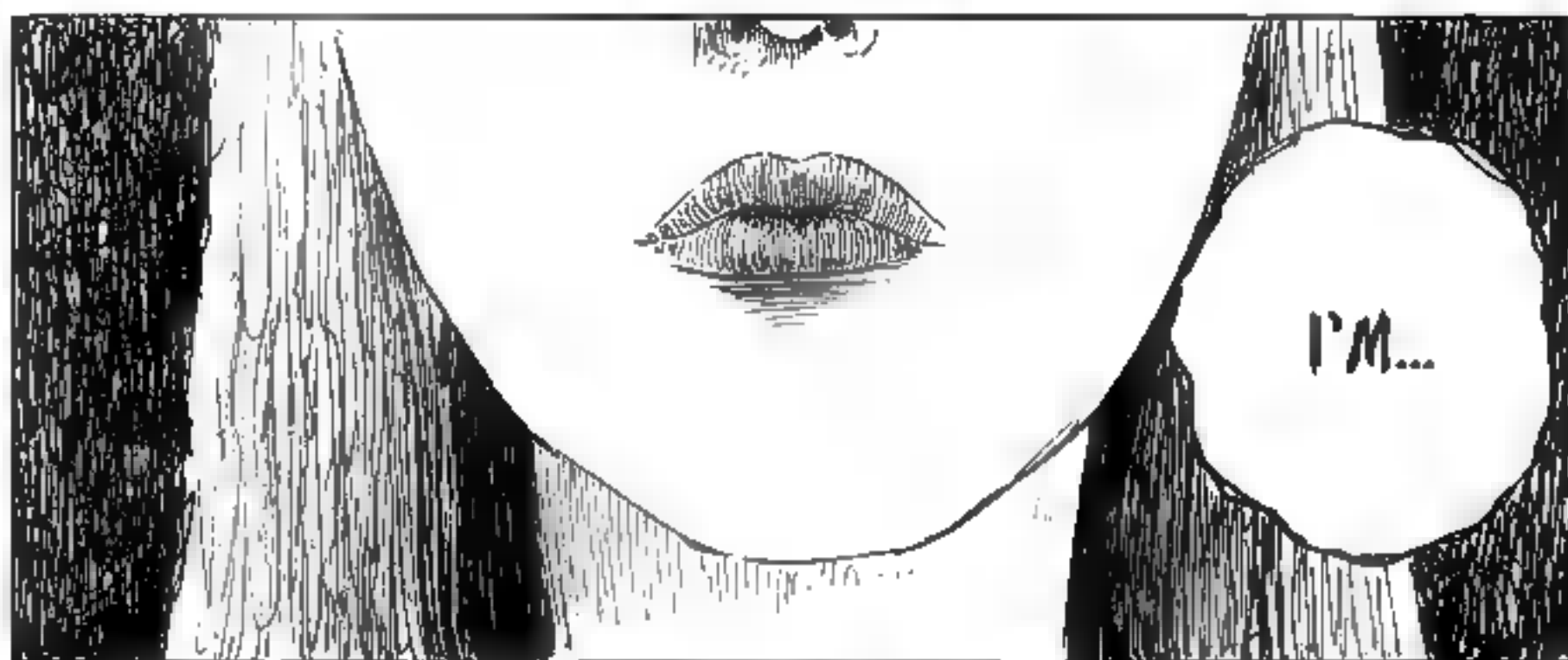
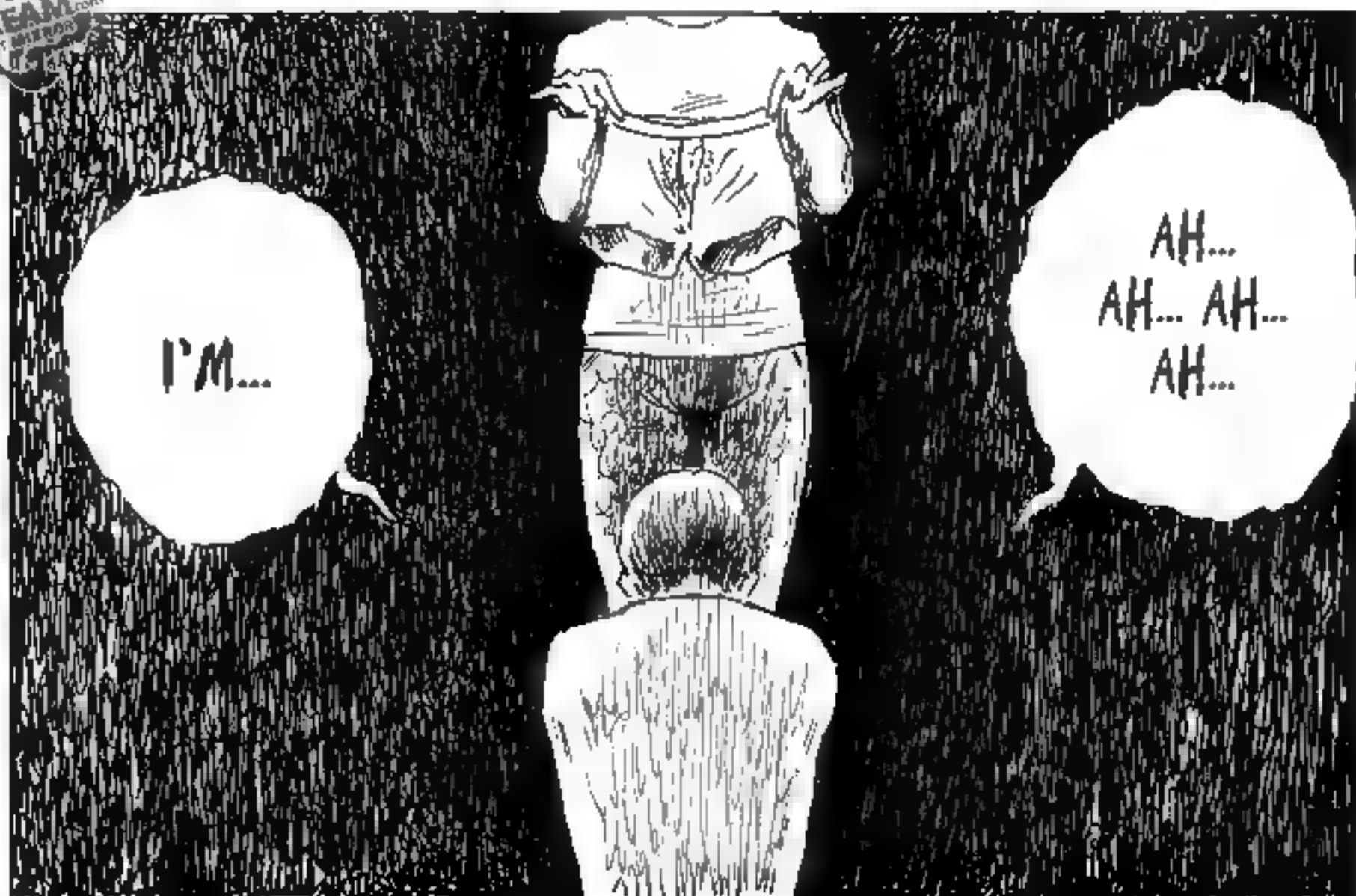
WITH FU...
FUKIISHI...



AA... AND
WHE...

WHEN
WE... KI...
KISSED...

SOH...SOH...SOH...
SOMETHING.... JUST...
KHA KHA KHA CAME....
AUH...OUT...





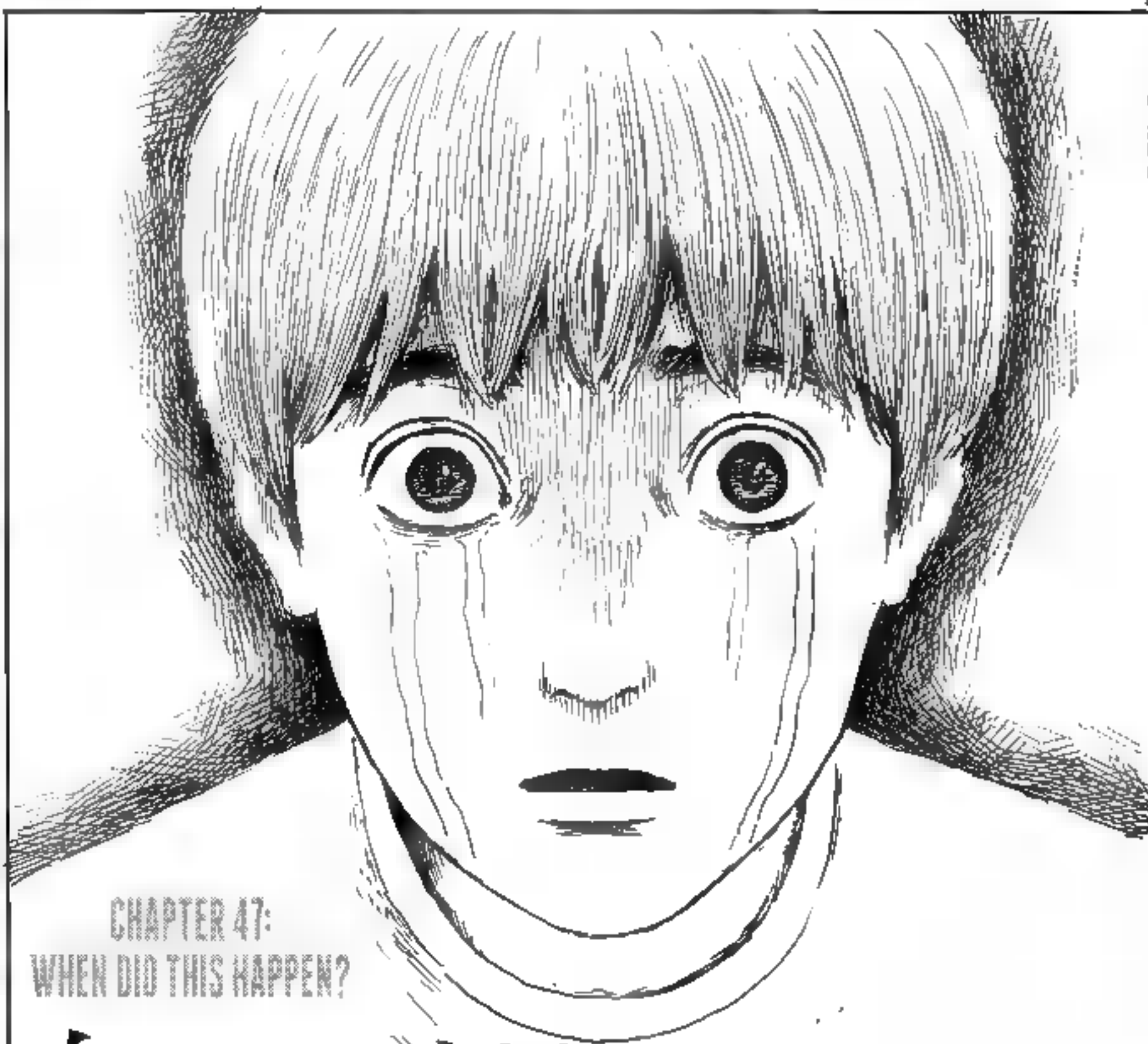
DIRTY.

MOM ANSWERS SEI'S HEARTFUL CONFESSION... WITH DISGUST!!

TO BE CONTINUED

MOM FOUND OUT ABOUT THE ORGASM SEI HAD WHILE SPENDING TIME WITH FUKIISHI... AND SHE REACTS WITH PURE DISGUST!!

OSHIMI SHUZO



CHAPTER 47:
WHEN DID THIS HAPPEN?

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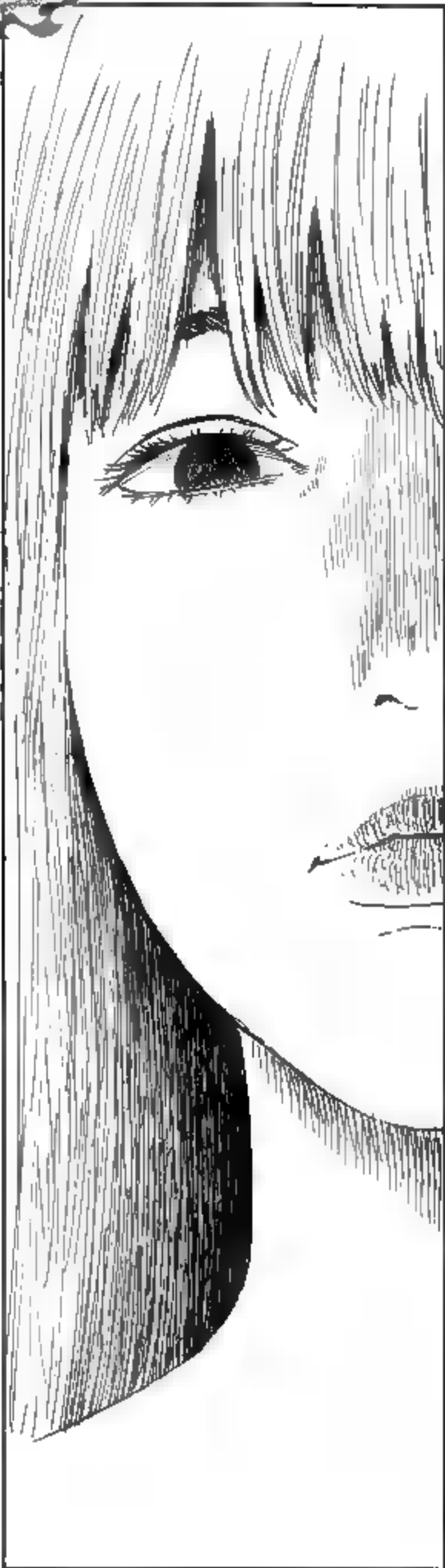
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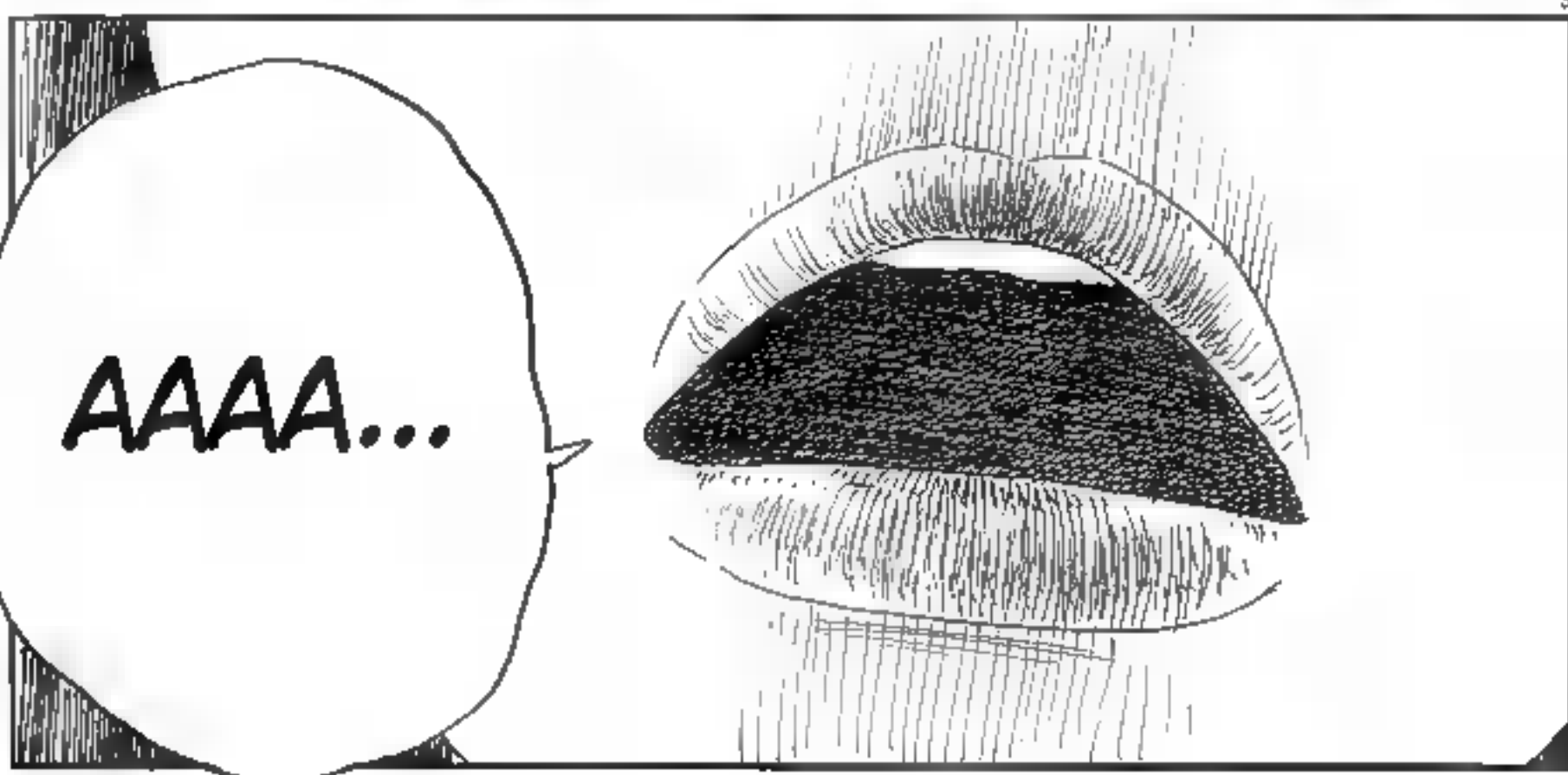
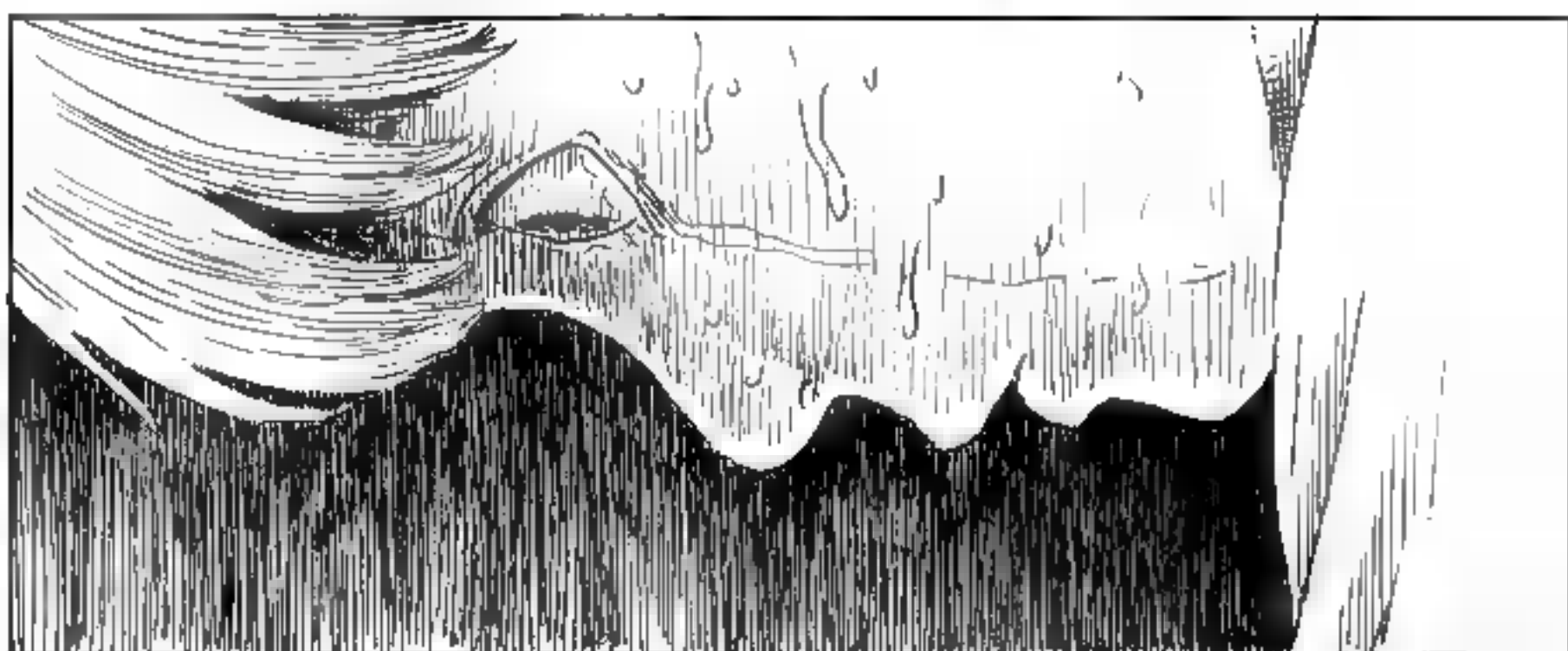
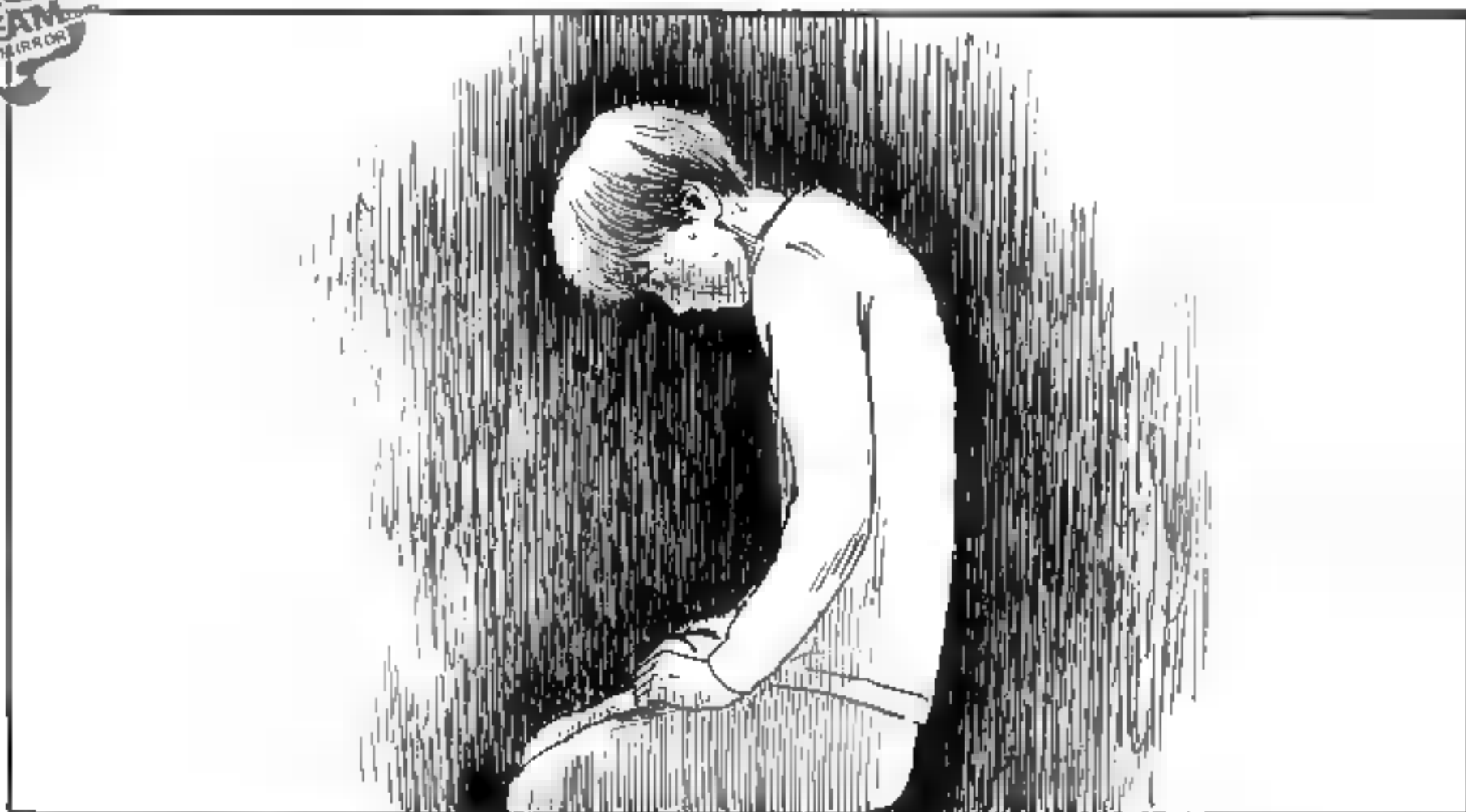
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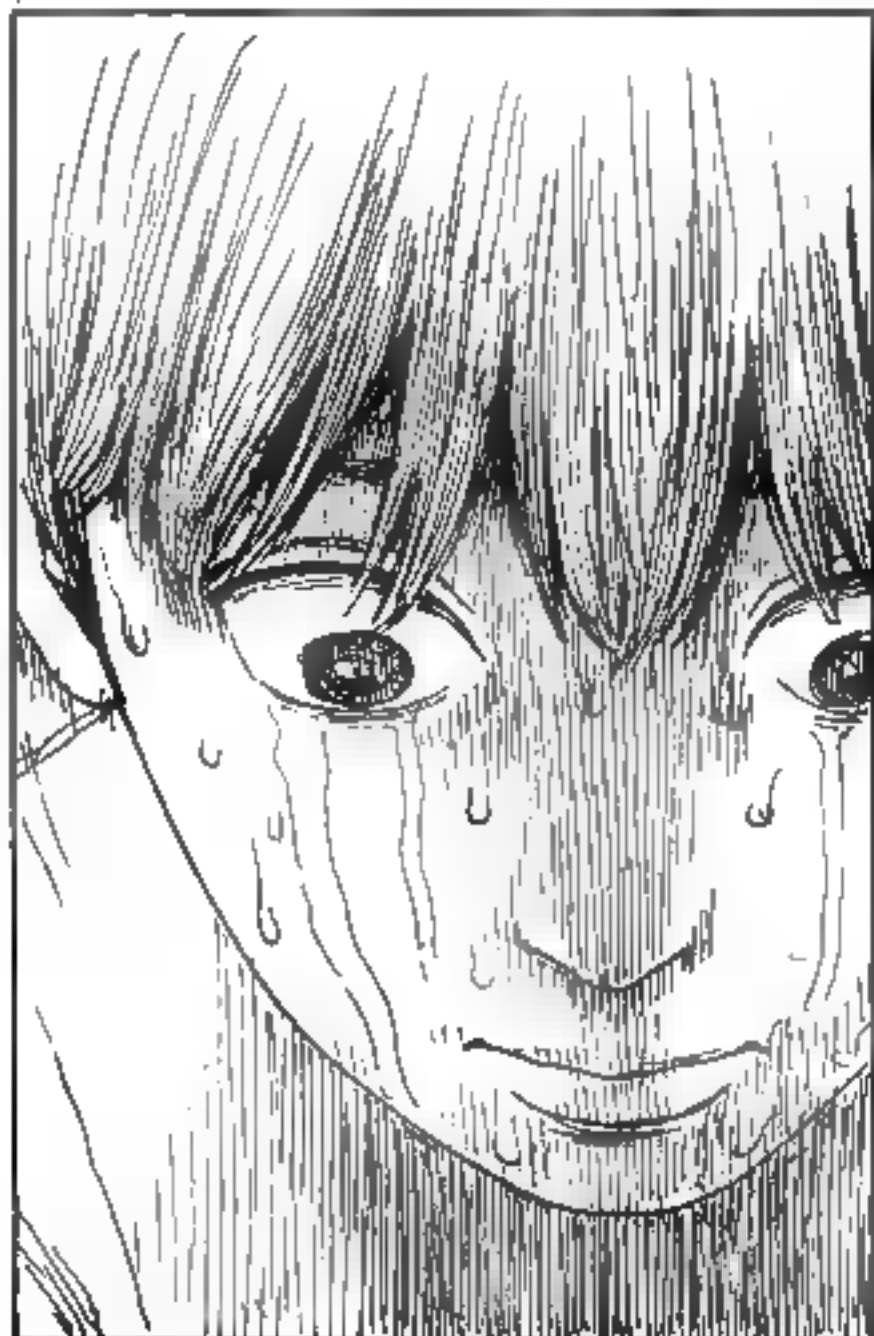


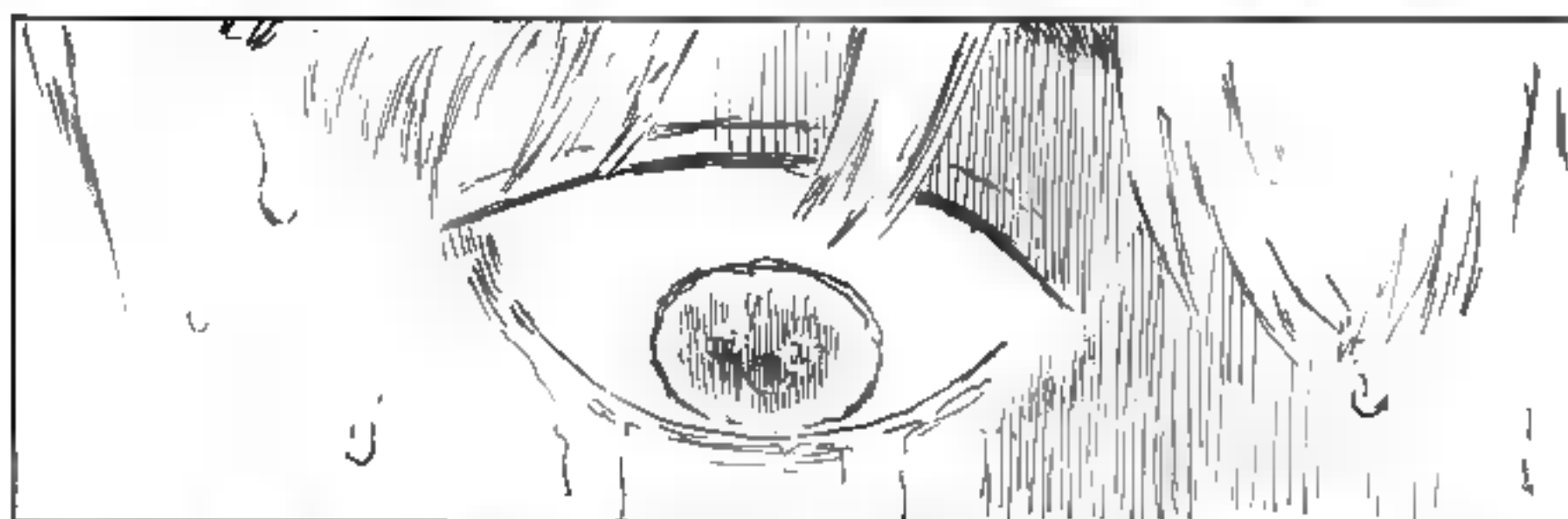
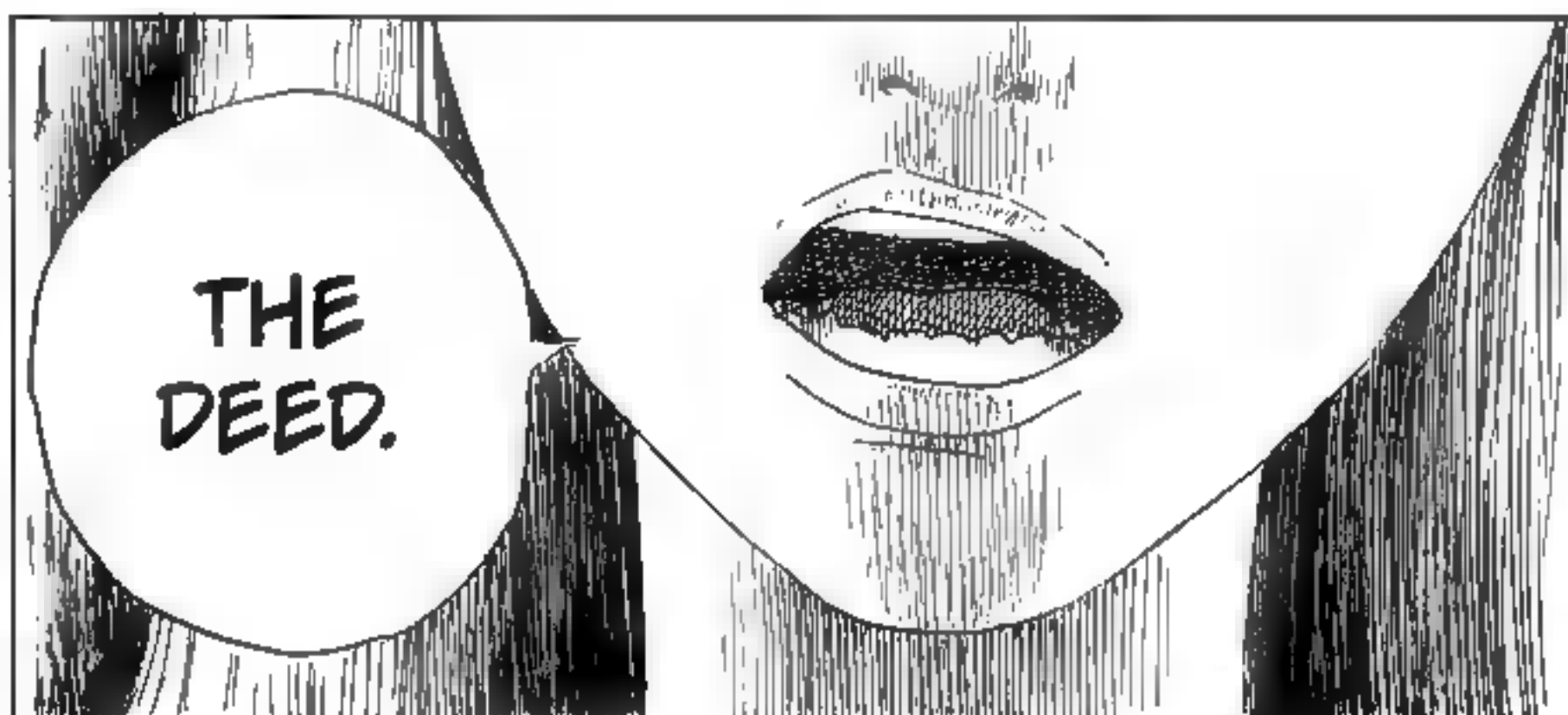
STAINED UNDERWEAR... WHY DO SUCH THINGS EVEN EXIST? IN THE MIST OF SEI'S FEAR AND REGRET, THEY MAKE THEIR APPEARANCE...

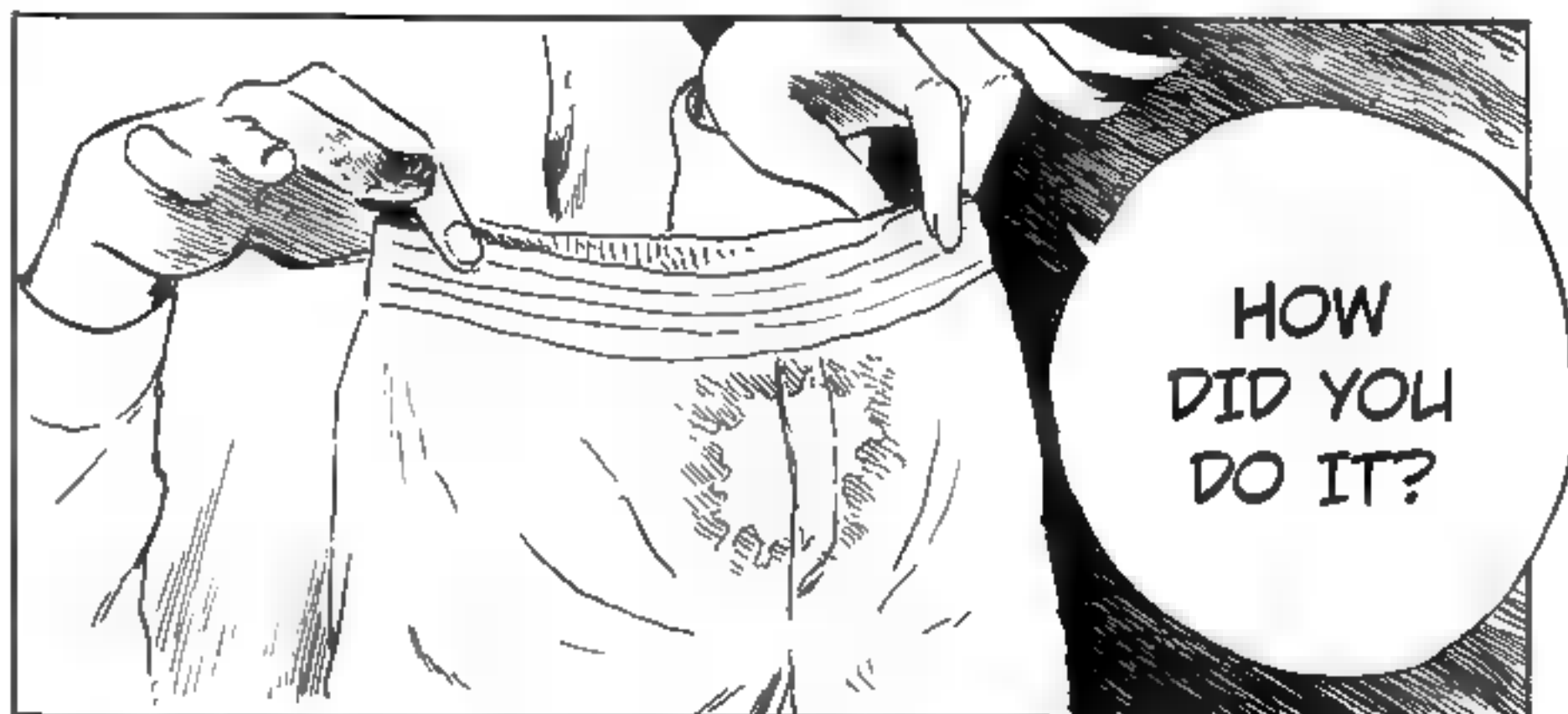




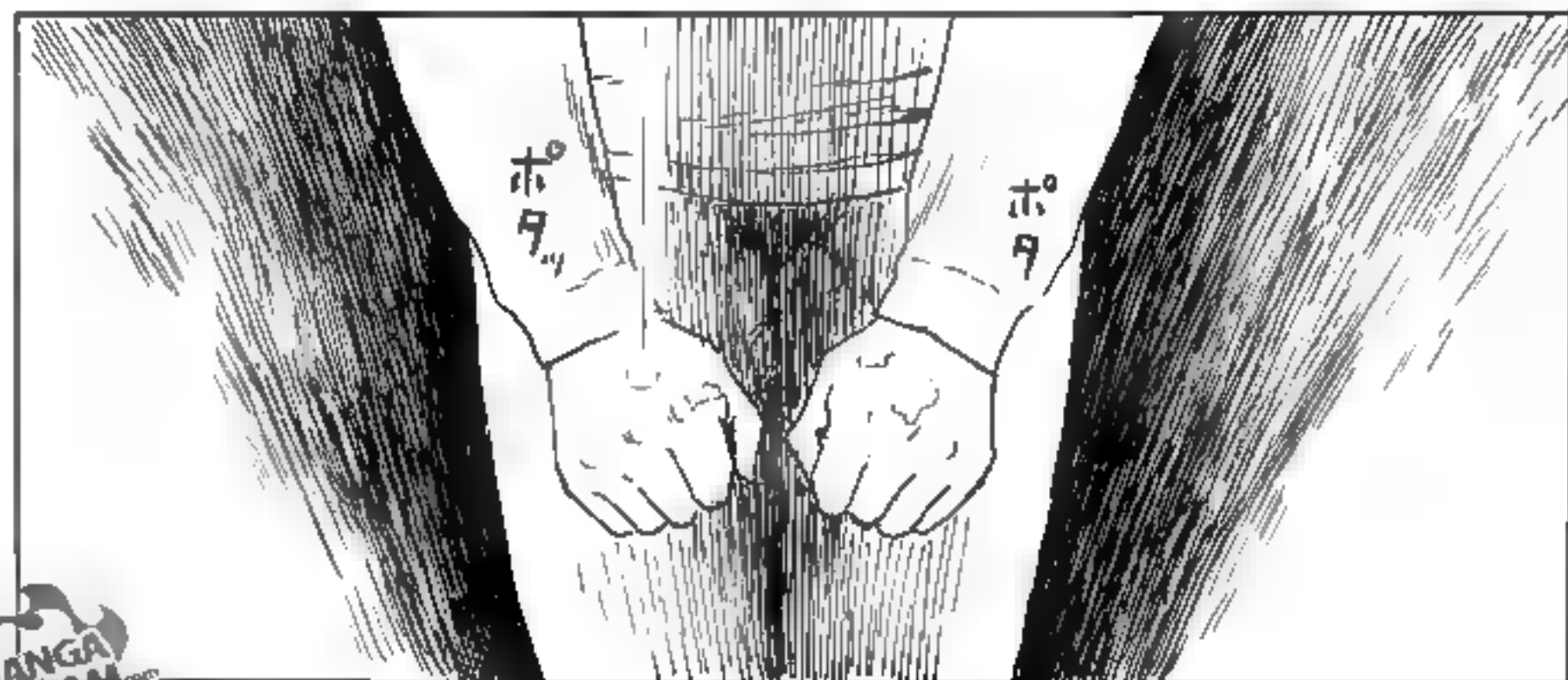
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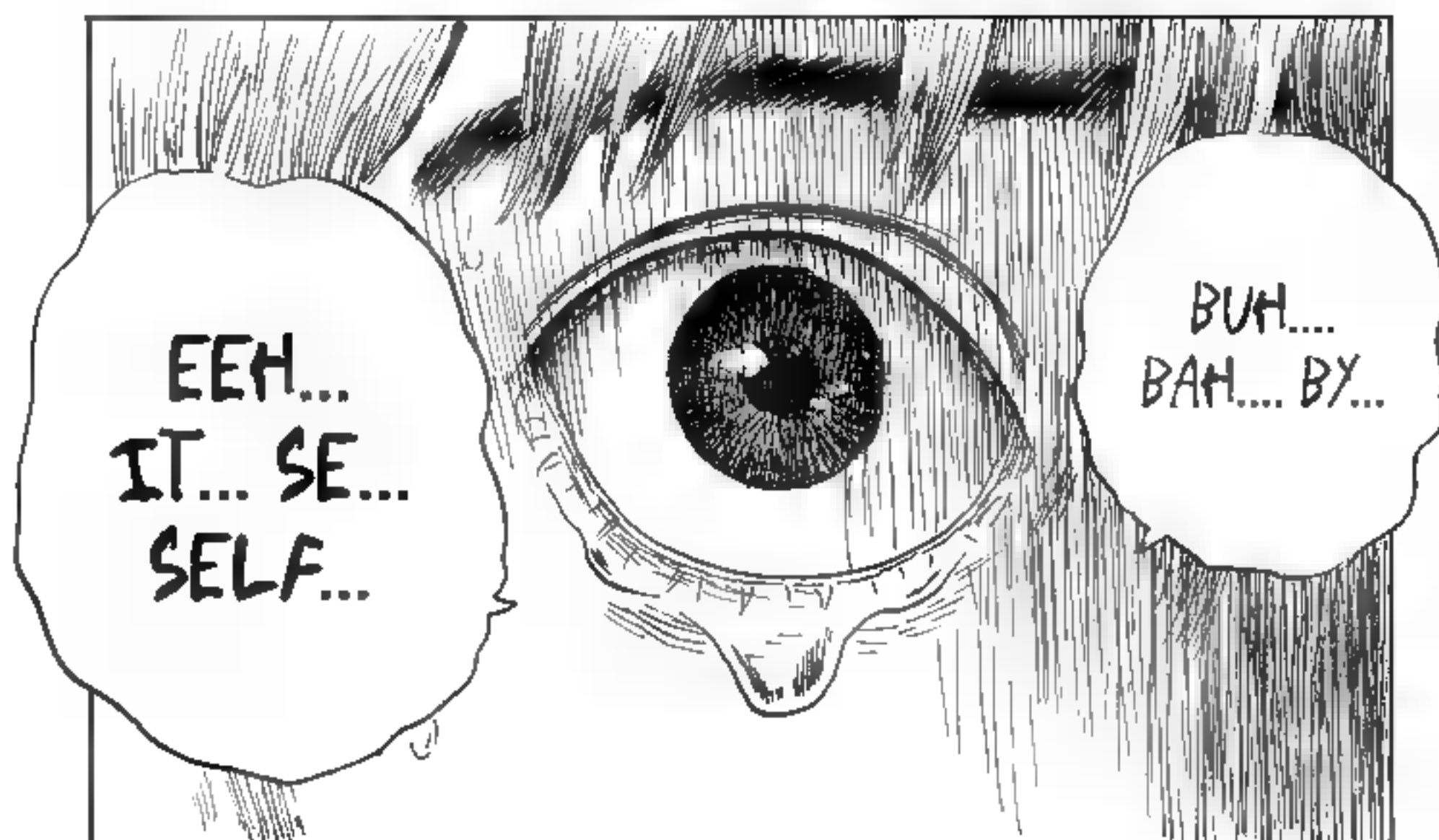




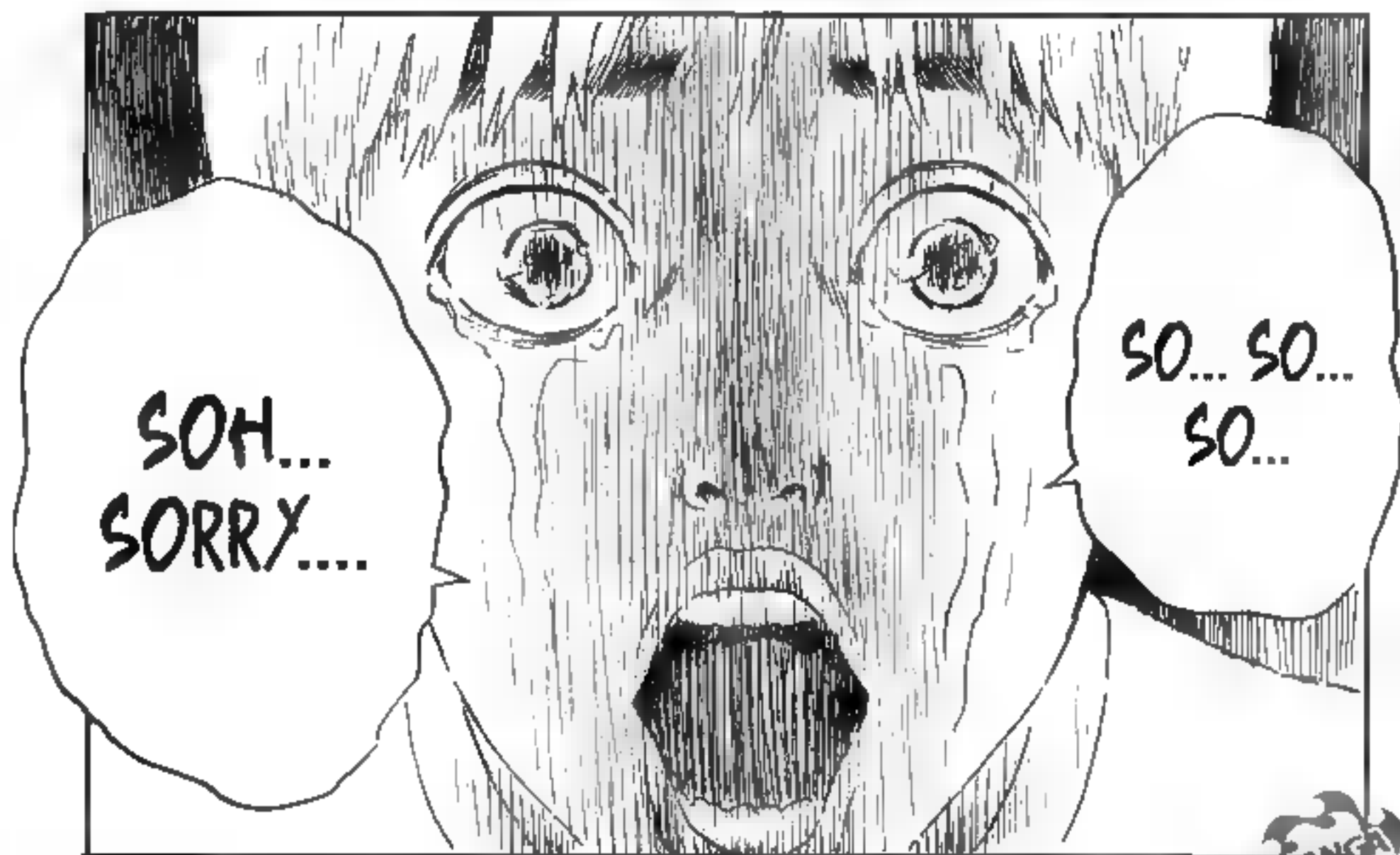
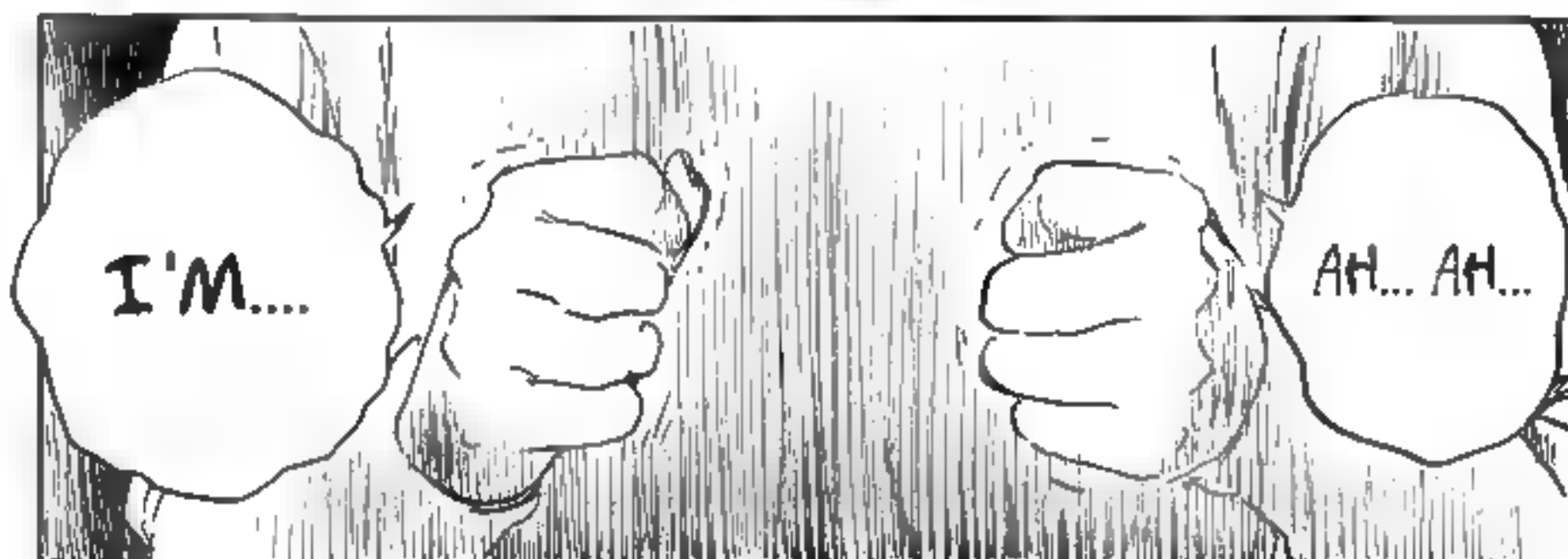


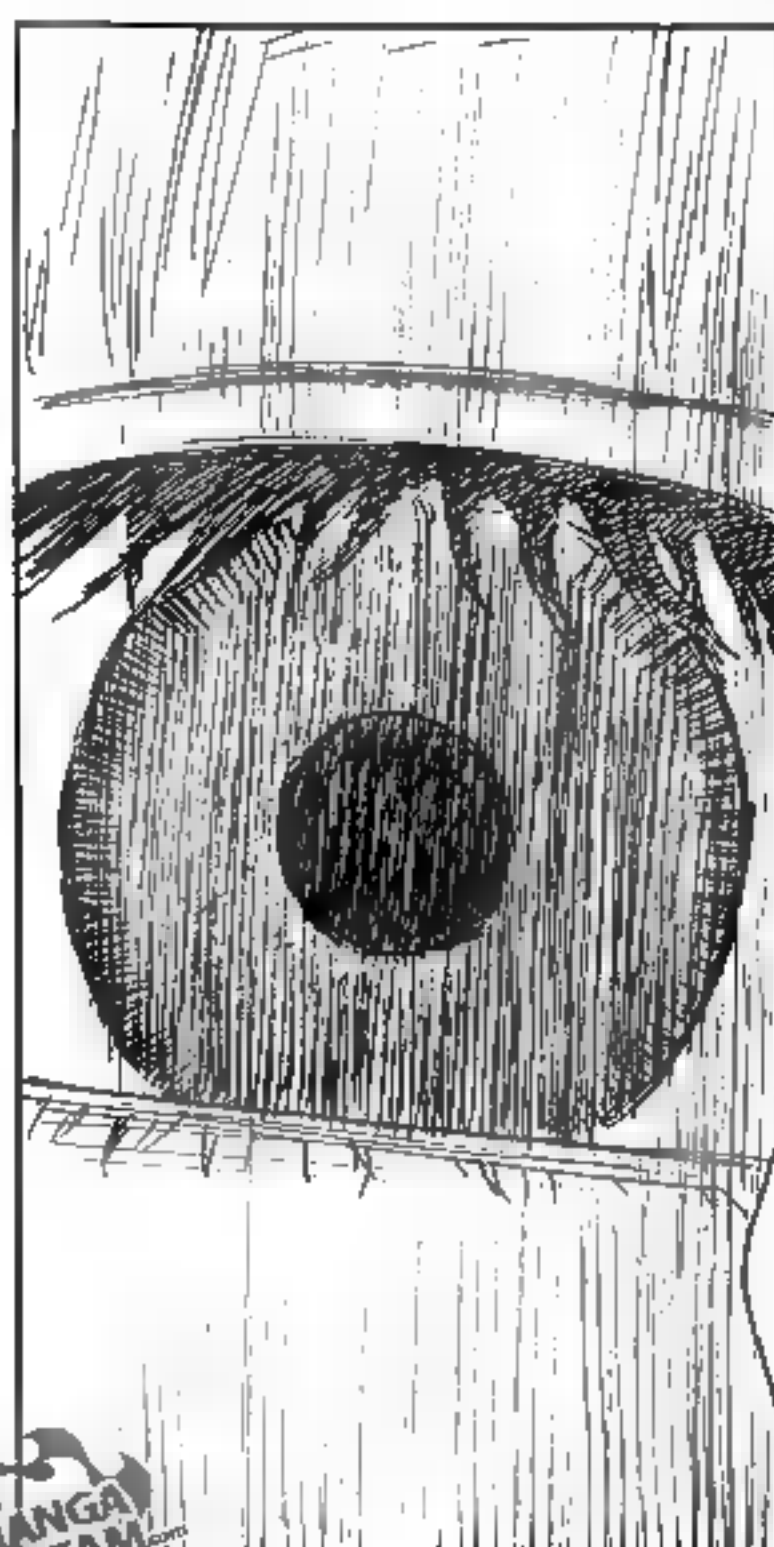










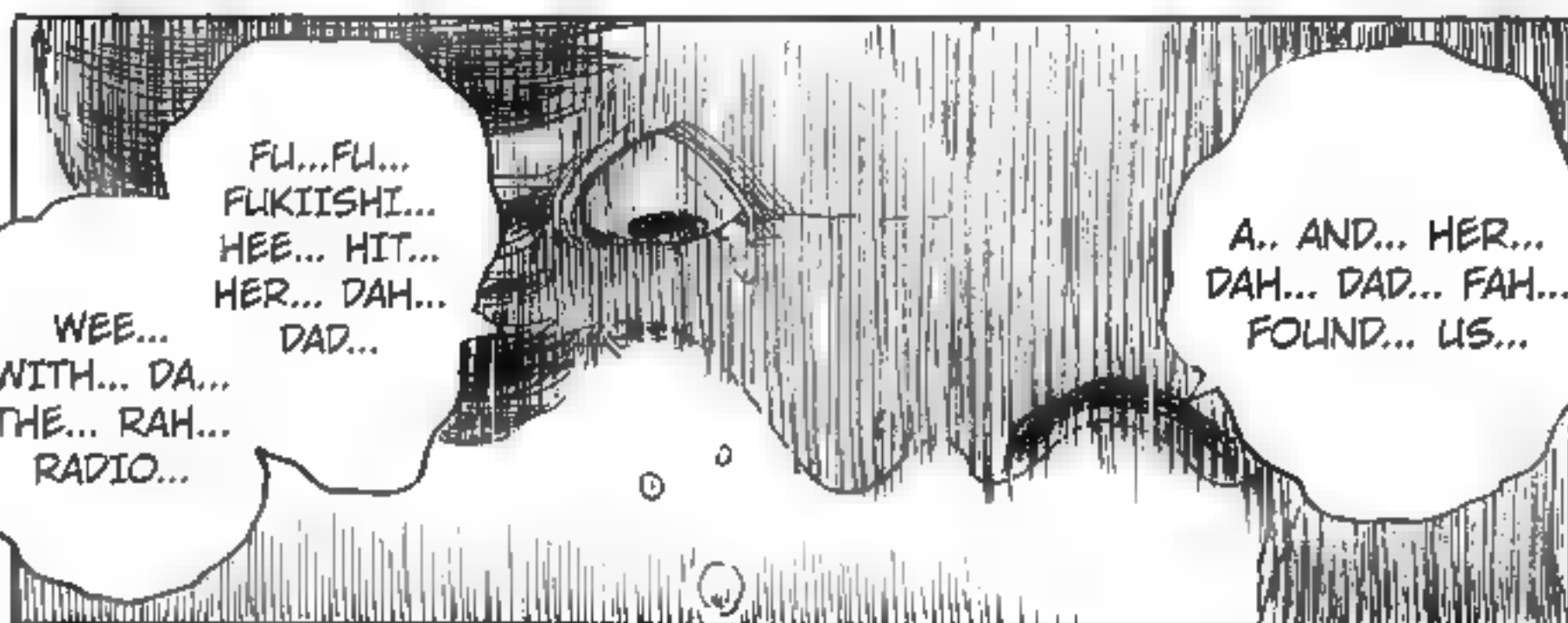




AH... I...
SS... SAW...
YOU...

FH... FROM...
DA... THA... BA...
BALCONY...

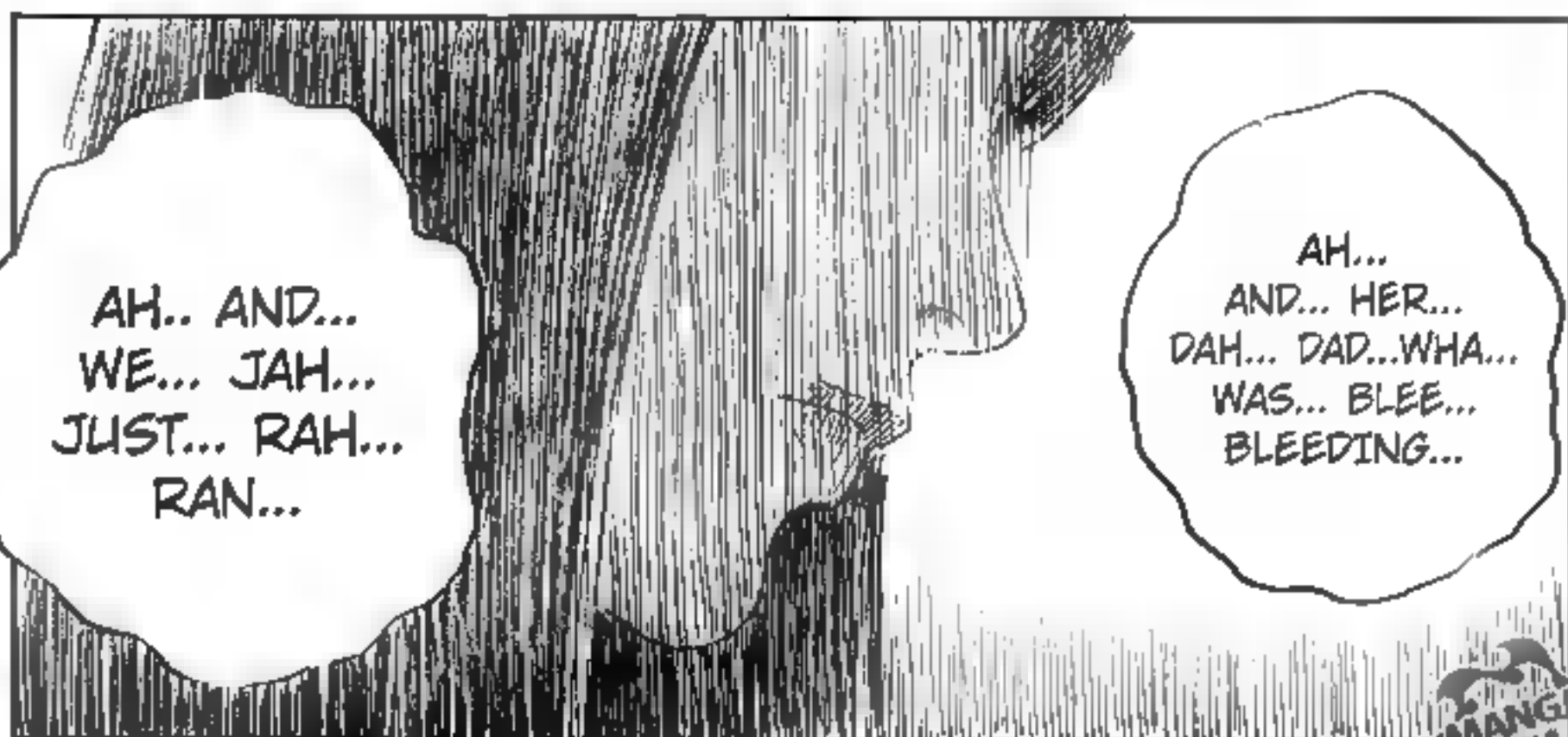
AH...
AH...AFTER...
DAH...THAT...



FU...FU...
FUKIISHI...
HEE... HIT...
HER... DAH...
DAD...

WEE...
WITH... DA...
THE... RAH...
RADIO...

A.. AND... HER...
DAH... DAD... FAH...
FOUND... US...



AH.. AND...
WE... JAH...
JUST... RAH...
RAN...

AH...
AND... HER...
DAH... DAD...WHA...
WAS... BLEE...
BLEEDING...



AH...
AND...


SHE... CAH...
CAME... TO...
HERE...



AH...
AND... FUH...
FUKIISHI...

SEE... SEEMED...
COH... COLD...

SO... I...
PUH... PUT...
MAH... MY...
JERSEY...



AH...
AND... WE...
HID... UH...
UNDER...

THE... COH...
COH... COLUM-
BUS... TUH...
TUNNEL...

BLUH,

BUT
I....!!

AH.. AND..
WE... KE...
KISSED...

WE...
LEH... LAYED...
DOWN...

SHE... PUH...
PLT... HER...
HA... HAND...

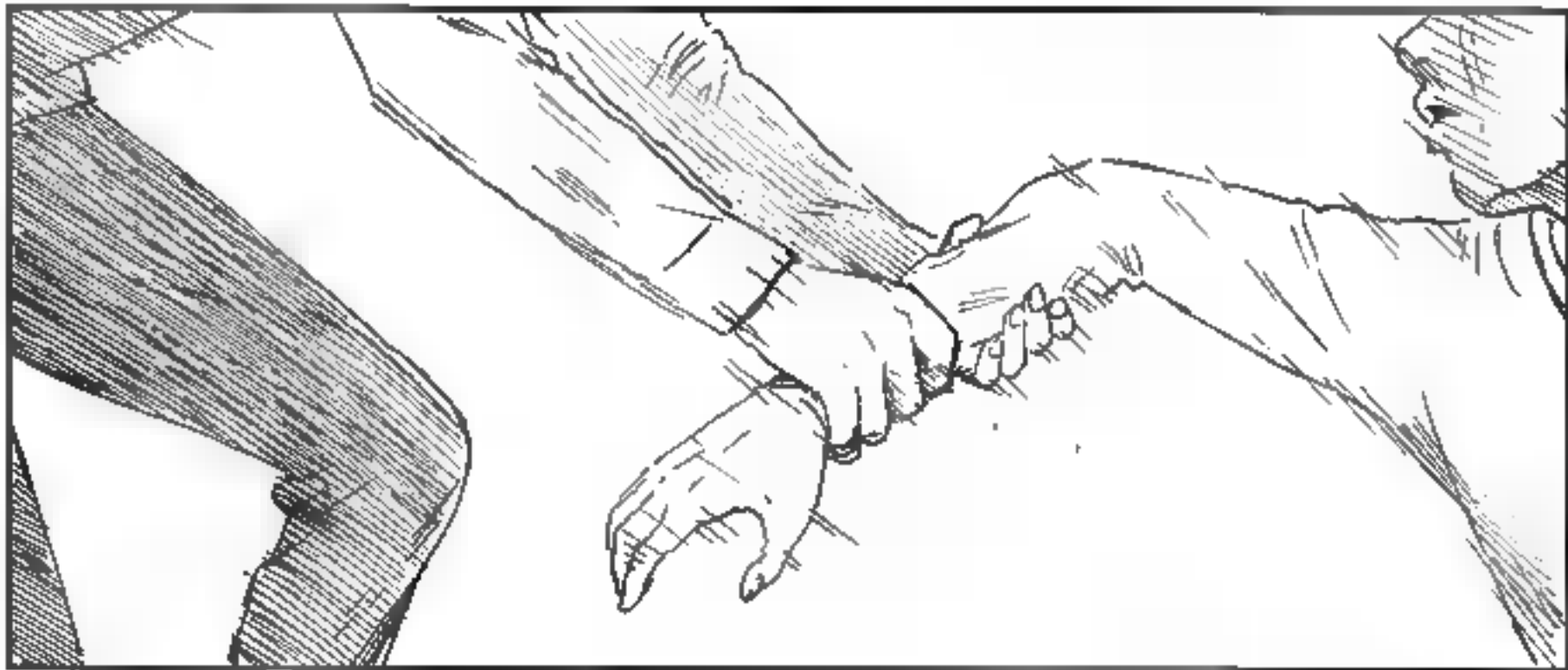
OH... ON...
MAH... MY...
CHEST...

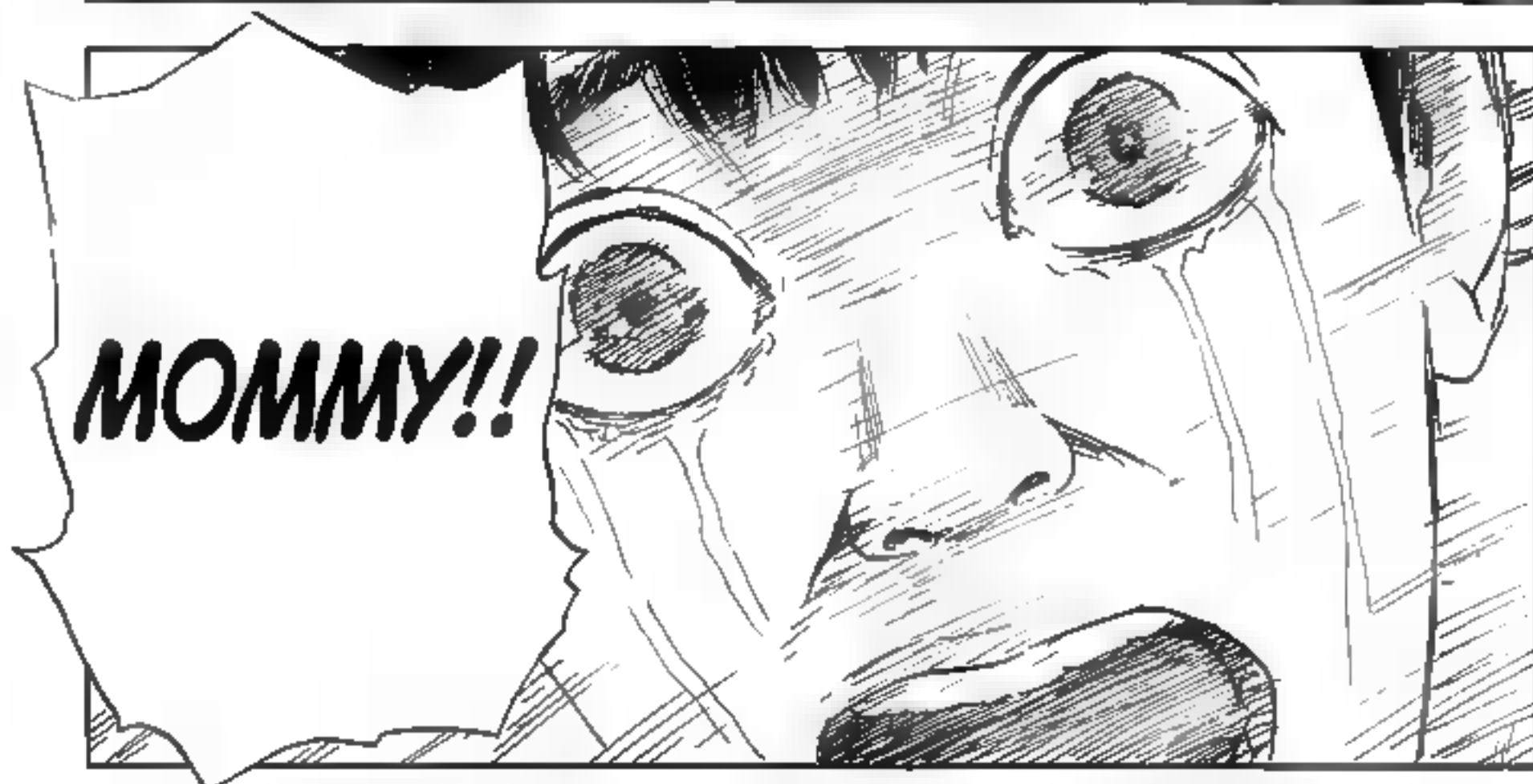










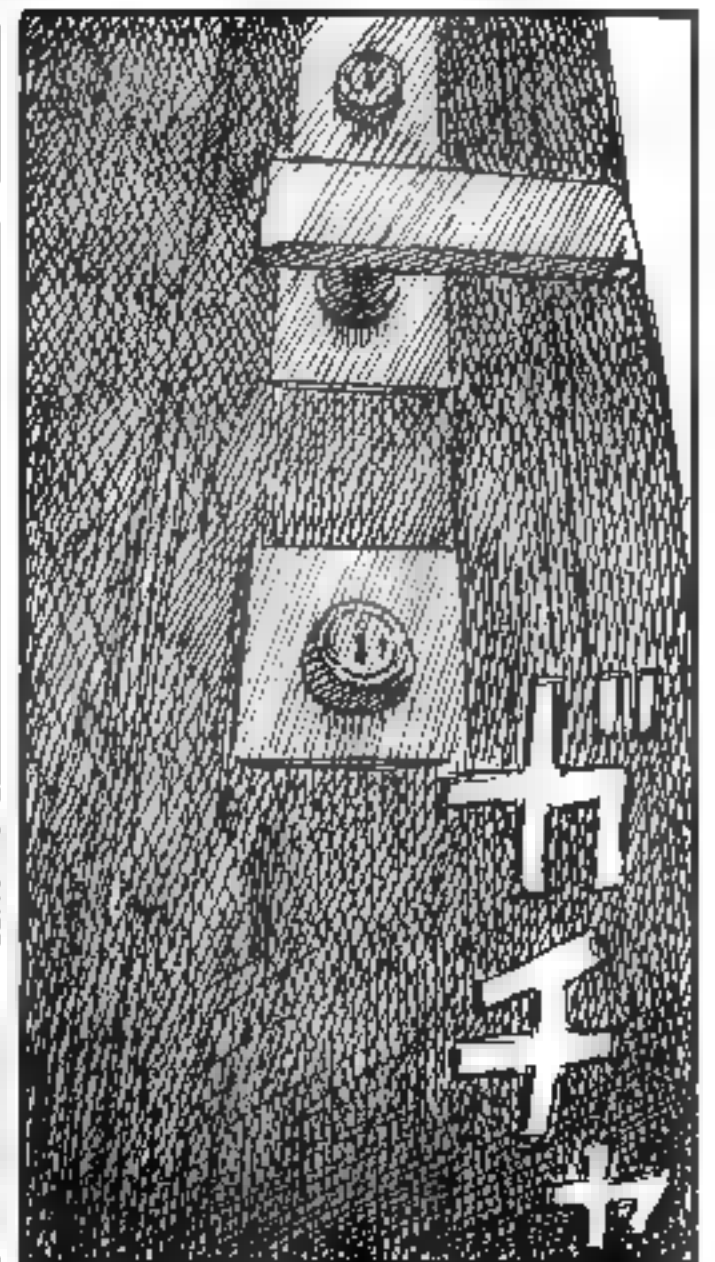


**DOH...
DON'T!**

MOMMY!!



**GET
OUT!!**



TO BE CONTINUED



BLUH..
BLT I...

BUT I CHOSE
YOU AND CAME
BACK, DIDN'T
I?!

**NOW STAINED,
SHE REJECTS HER
OWN CHILD!**

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CHAPTER 48: BLOOD OATH

MOMMY... PLEASE DON'T ABANDON ME... HIS CRY OF PAINED LOVE ECHOES IN THE RAINY NIGHT...



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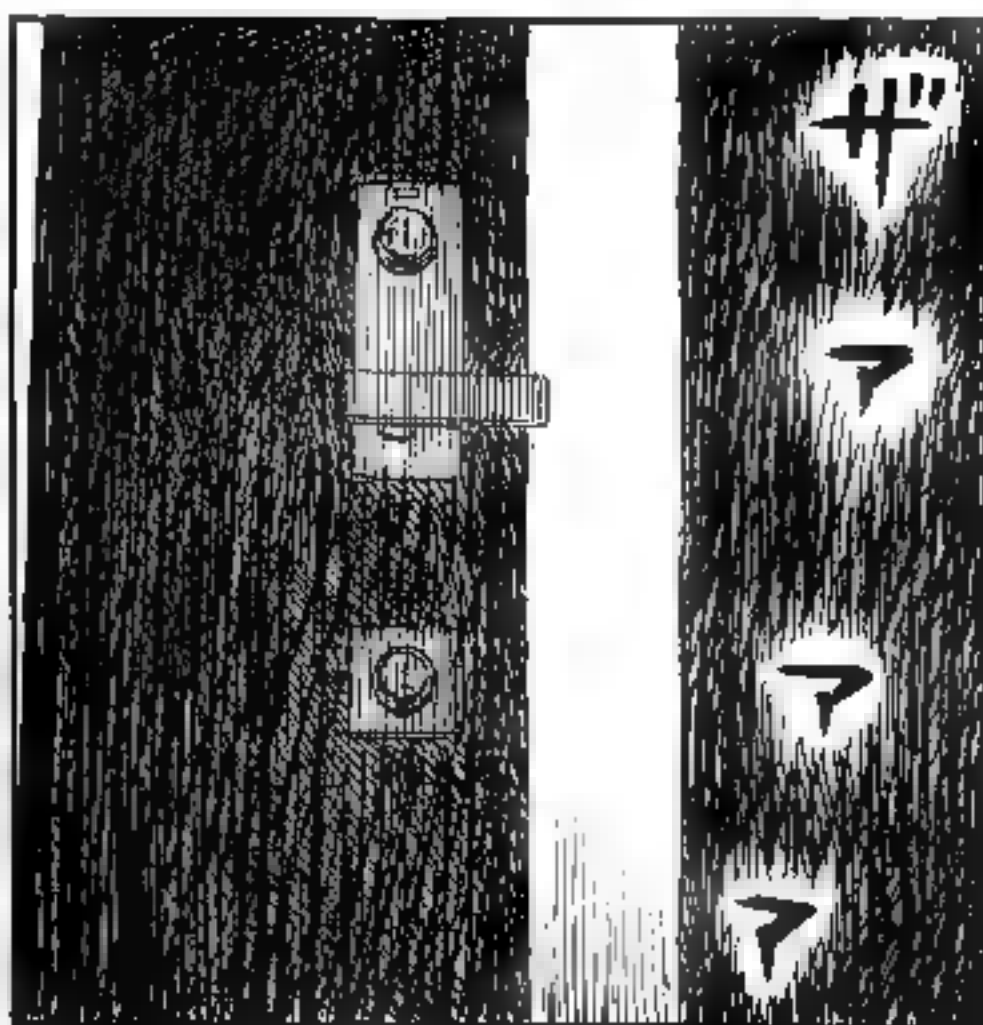
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AFTER HEARING ABOUT WHAT SEI DID WITH FUKIISHI, MOM IS FURIOUS...

WILL SHE LISTEN TO MEI'S DEPERATE CONFESSION?!



I KEPT
SEEING...



SO I LEFT
FUKIISHI
AND CAME
BACK...!

YOUR EYES
AND YOUR
FACE... IN
MY MIND...



I'M SO
SORRY!

I'M SO...



I'M
SORRY,
I'M JUST
A KID...

I'M
SORRY...



DON'T
HATE ME...

PLEASE,



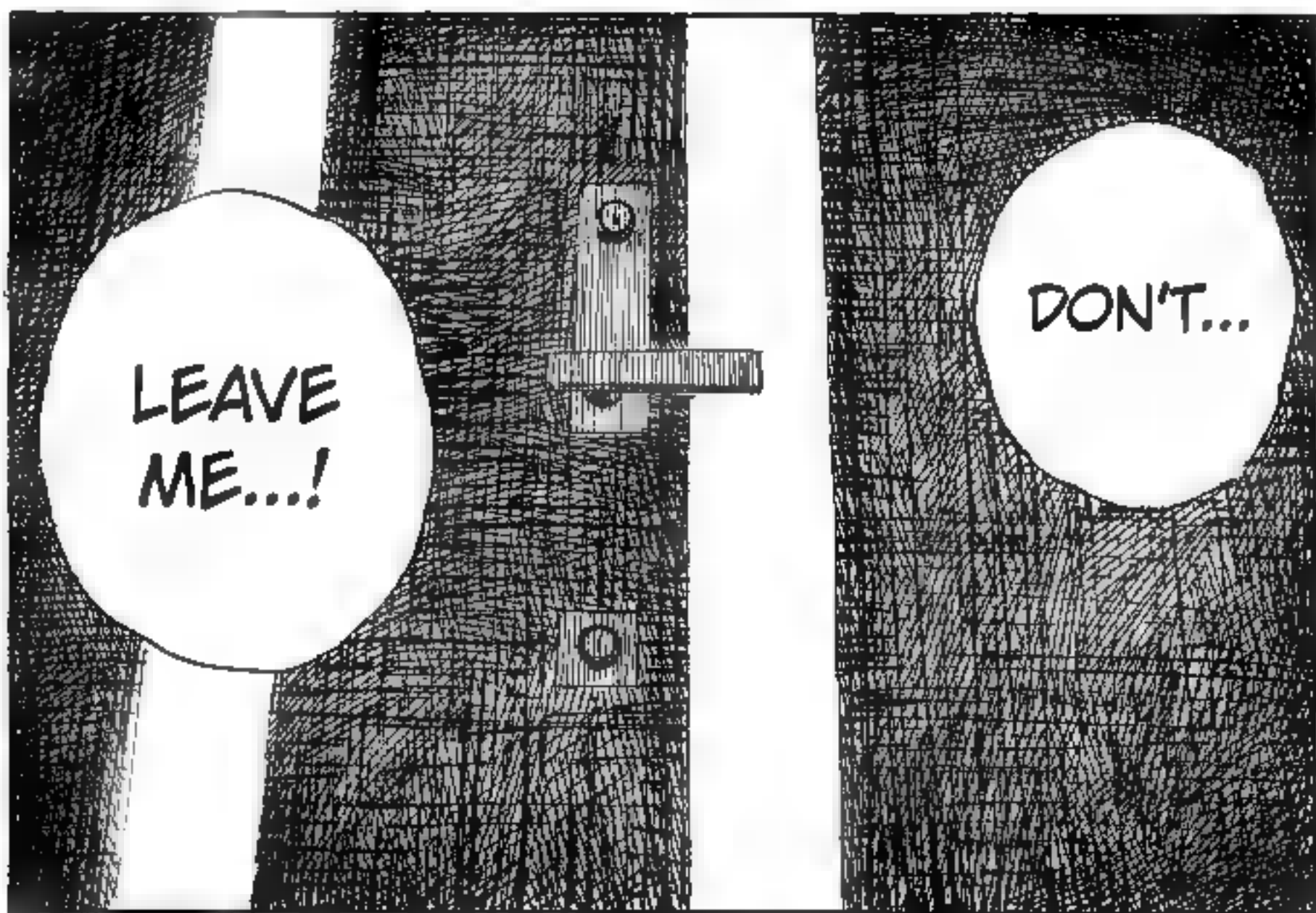
I WON'T
THINK OR
DO ANYTHING
WEIRD EVER
AGAIN!

I'LL
FIX IT!



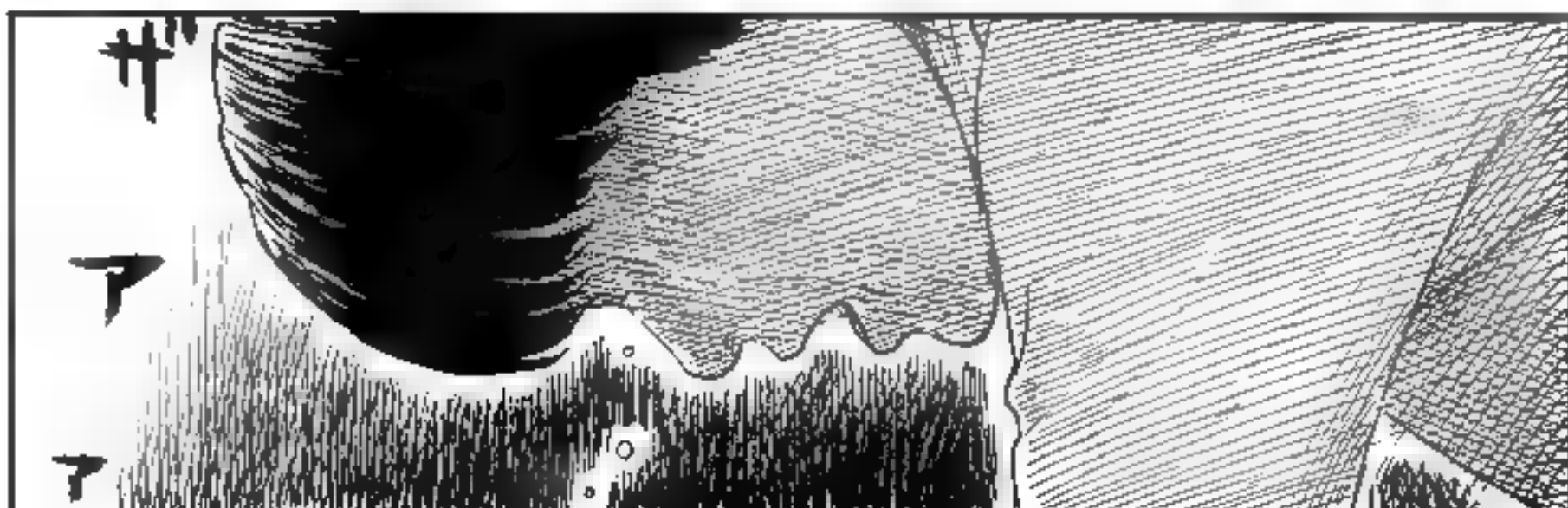
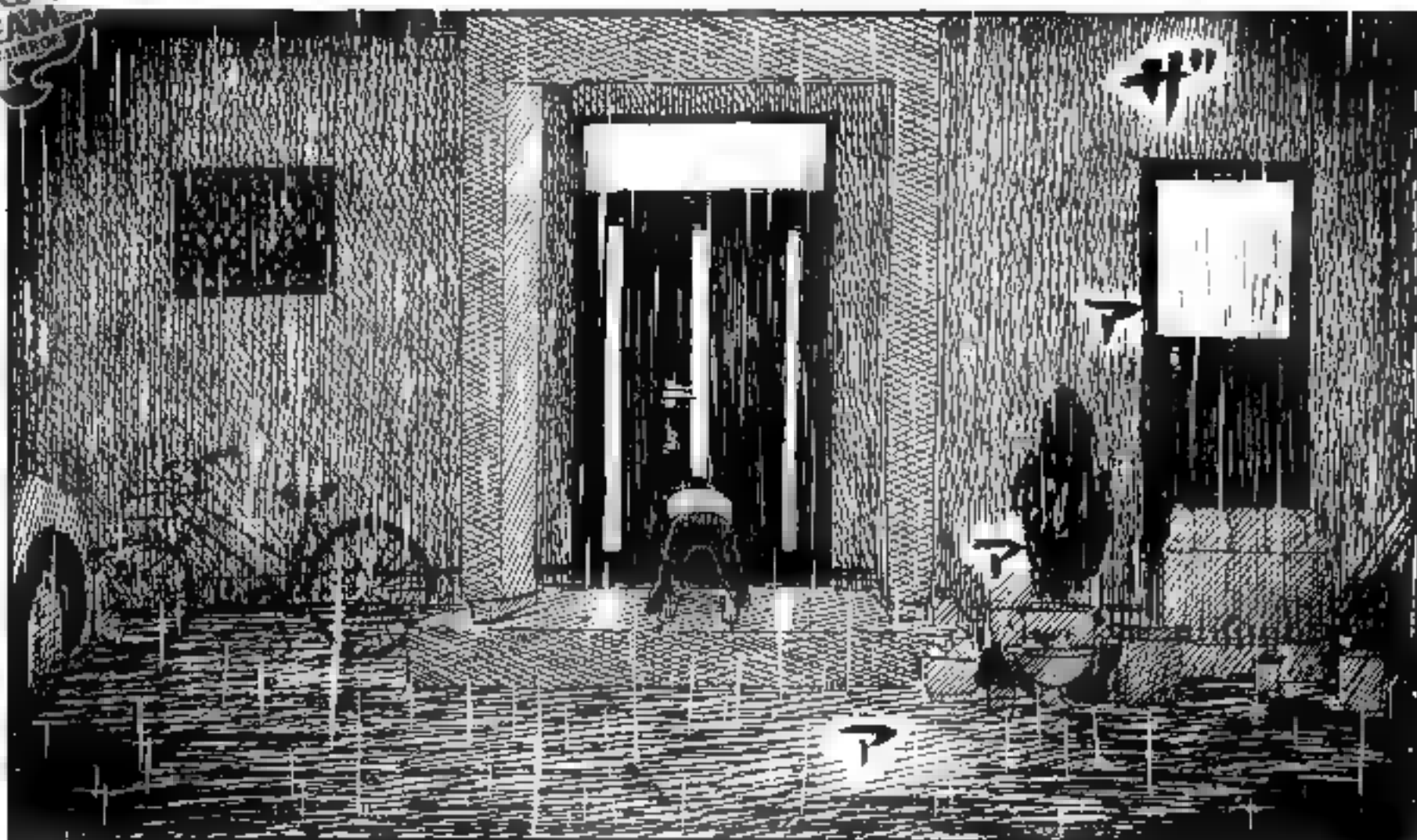
I'LL BE A
GOOD BOY, I
PROMISE!

I WON'T... LET
WEIRD THINGS
COME OUT OF
ME AGAIN...!



LEAVE
ME...!

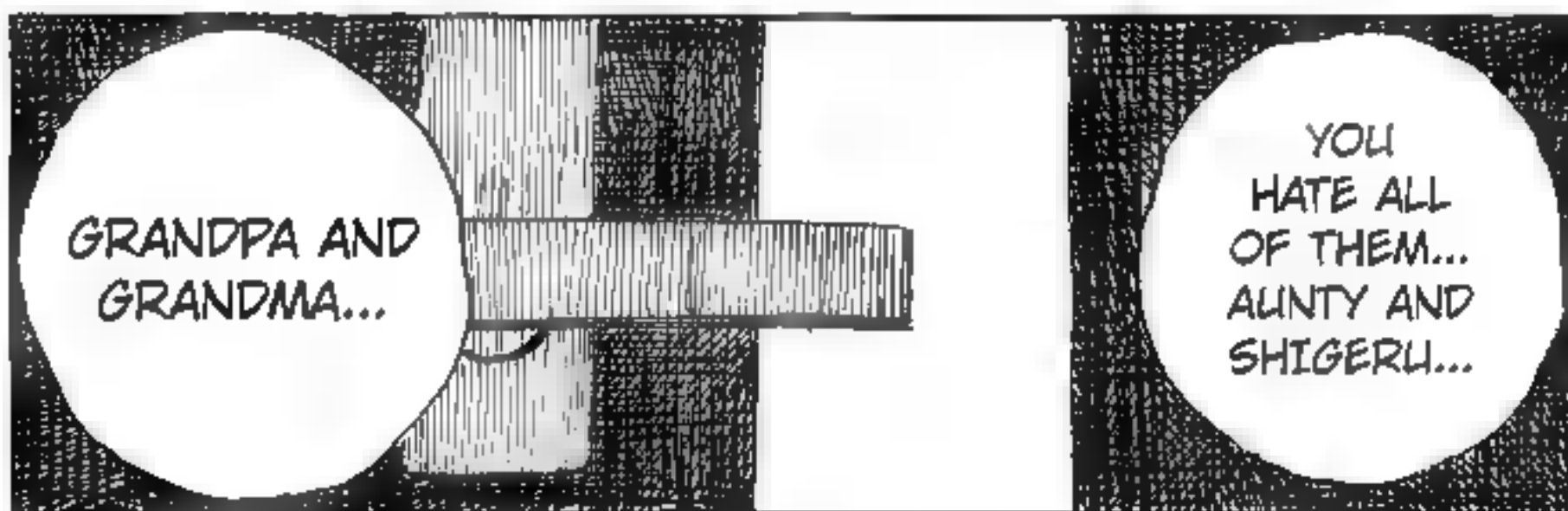
DON'T...





I UNDER-
STAND THAT
NOW...!

YOU
WERE IN PAIN...
THIS WHOLE
TIME...



GRANDPA AND
GRANDMA...

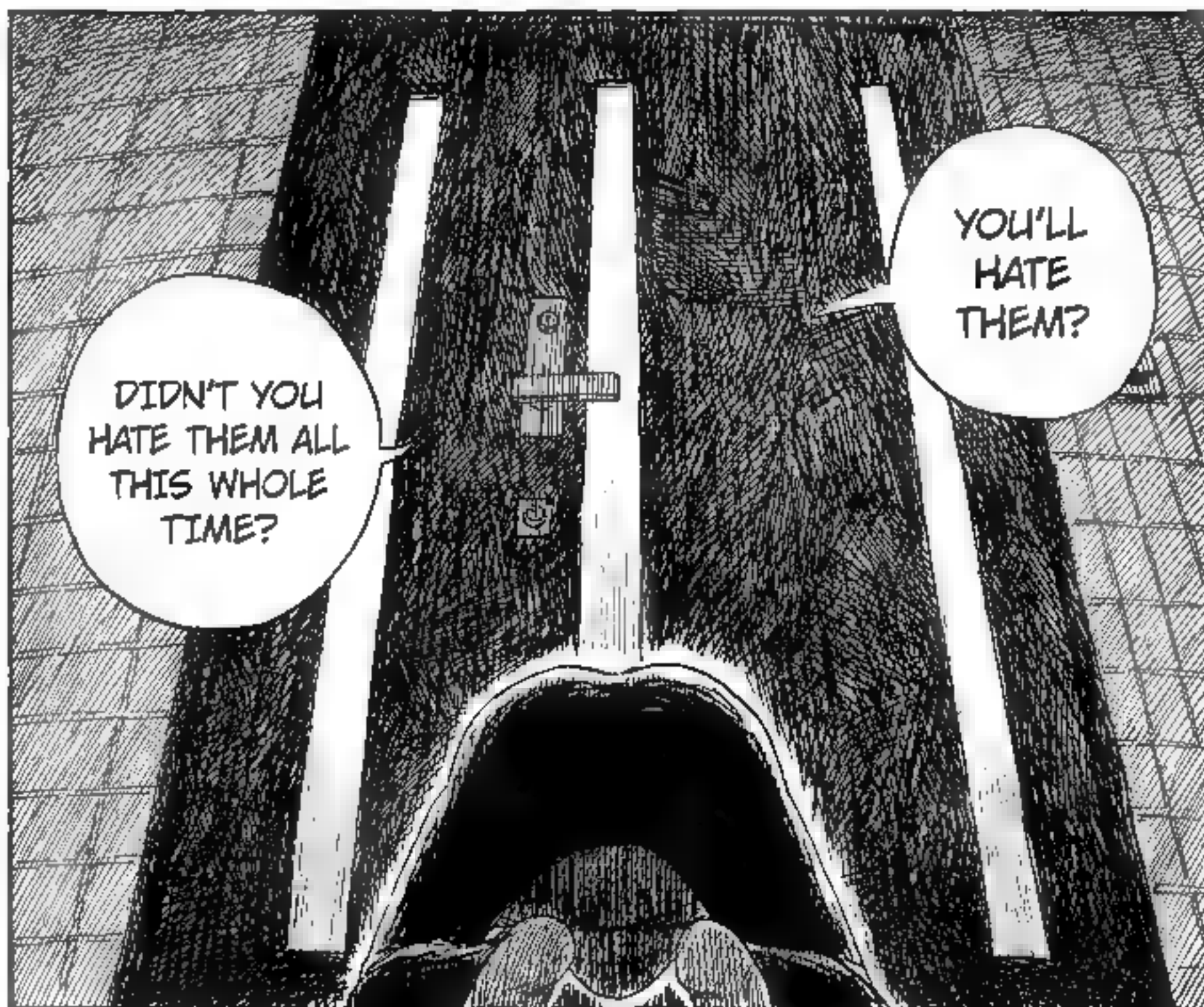
YOU
HATE ALL
OF THEM...
AUNTY AND
SHIGERU...

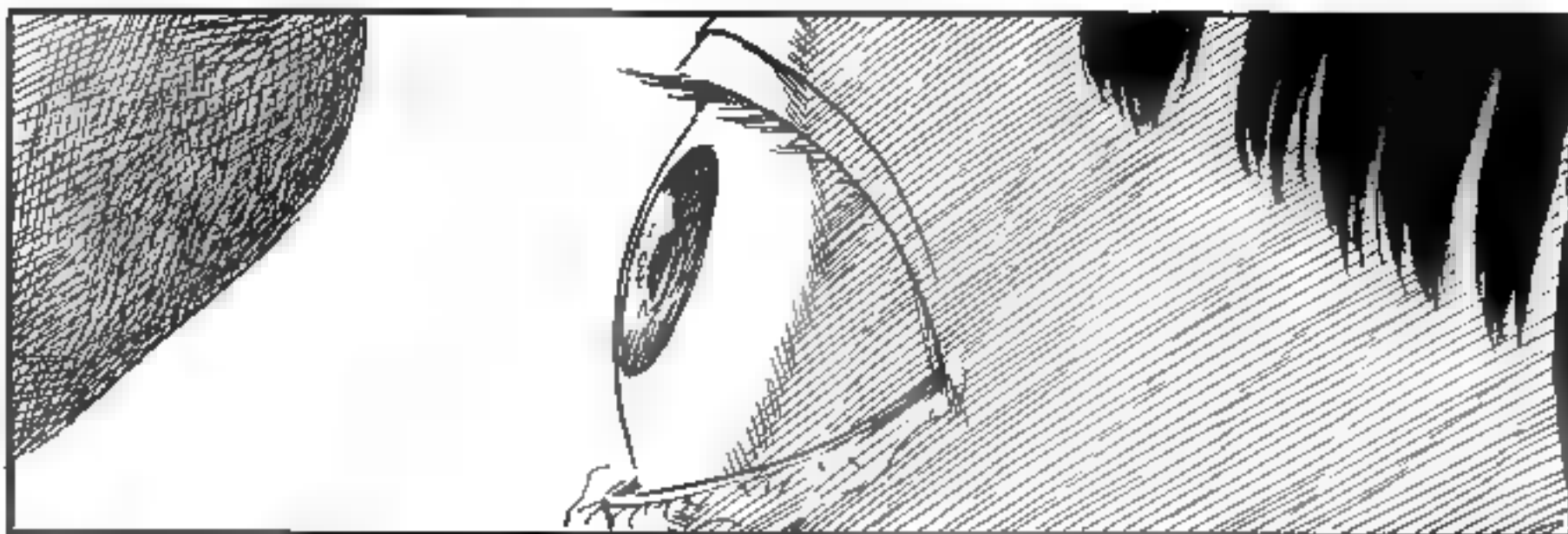
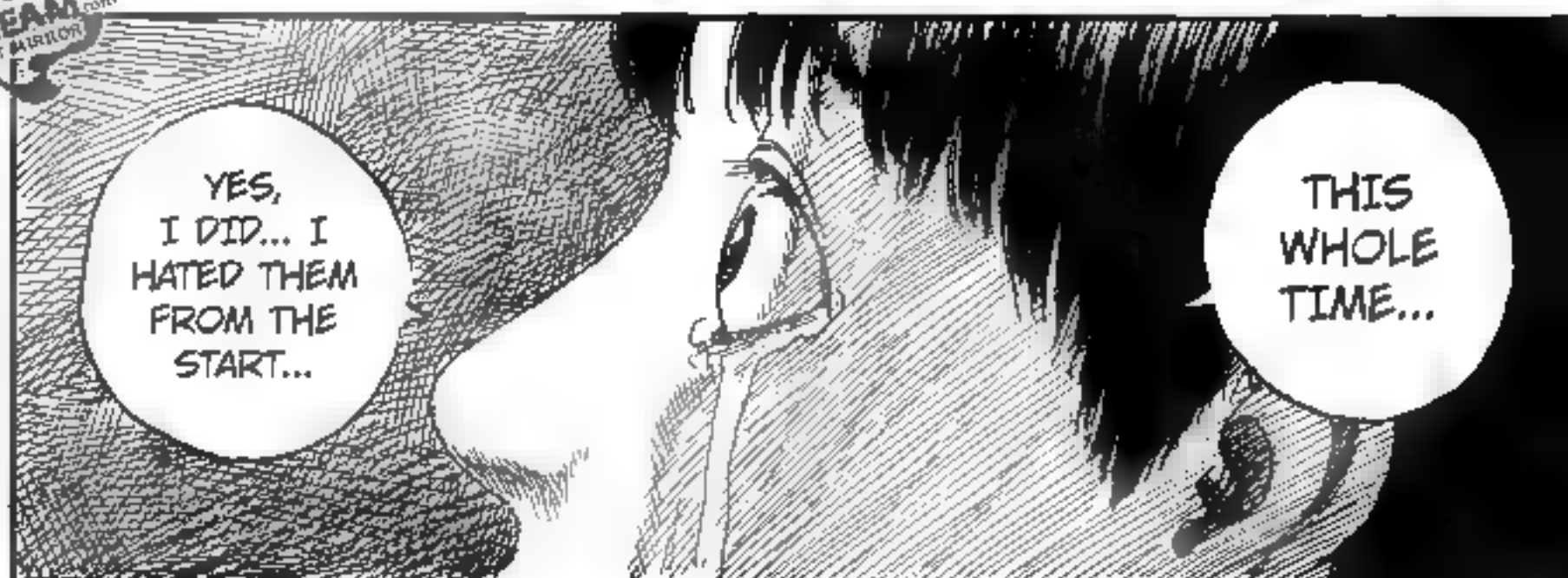


I UNDER-
STAND NOW
HOW MUCH
YOU HATE
THEM!

AND DAD...



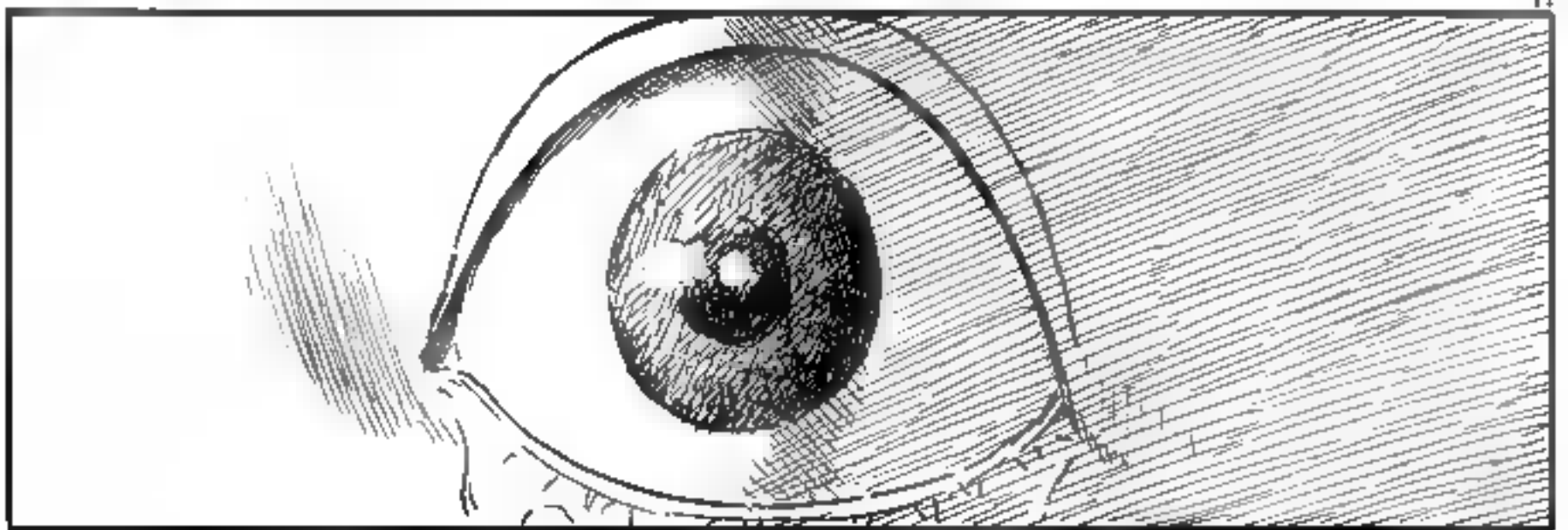
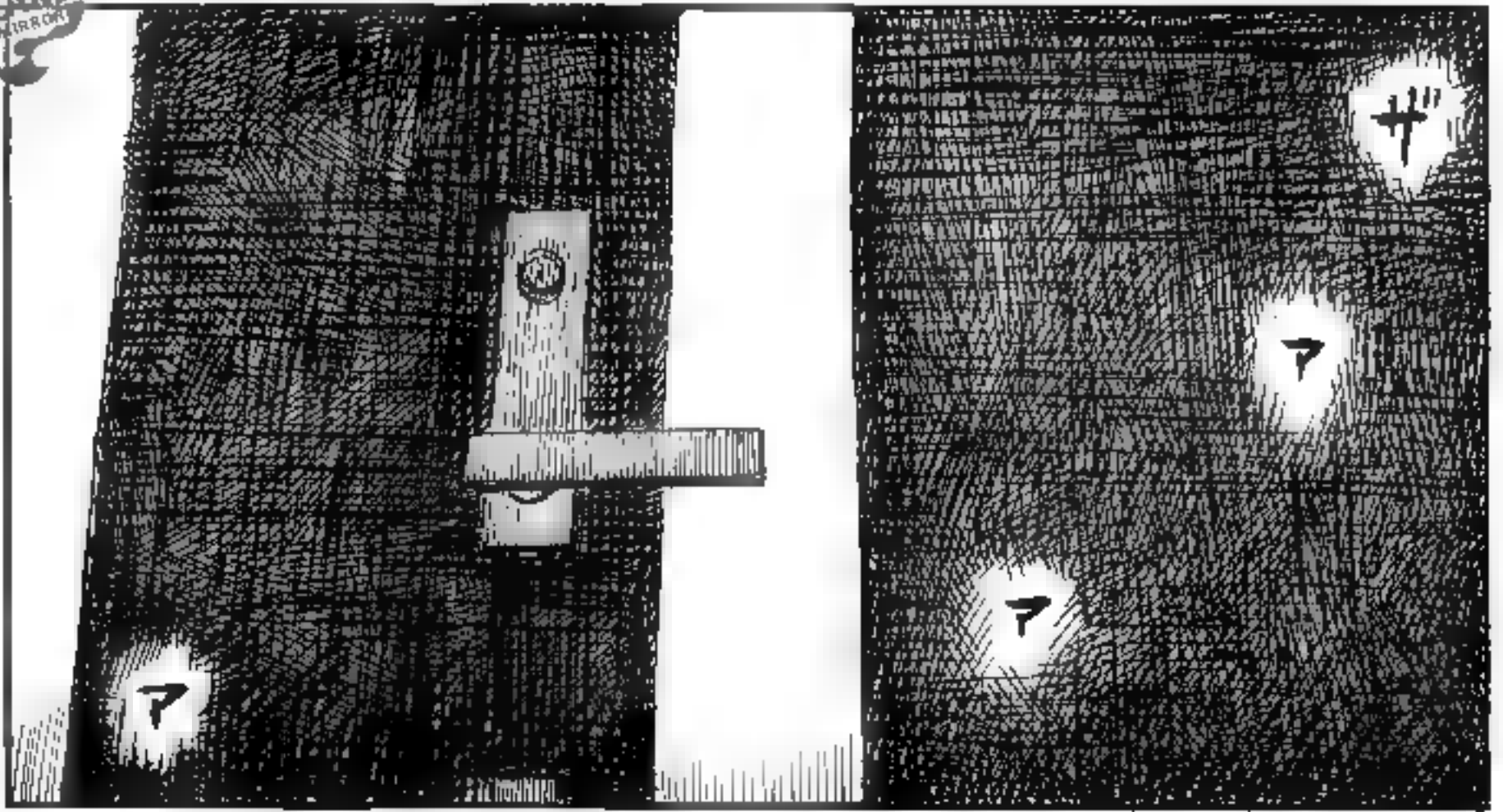


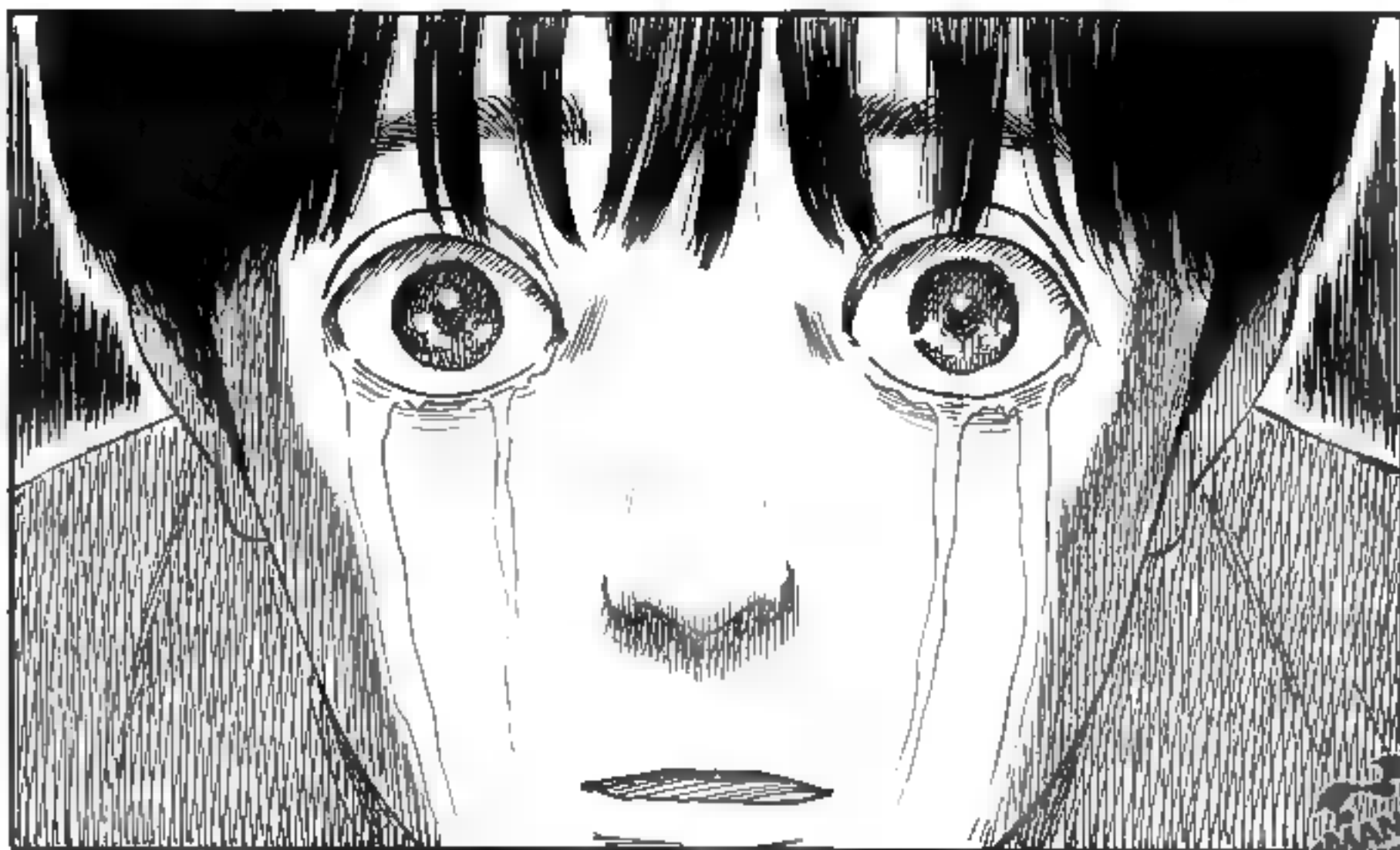
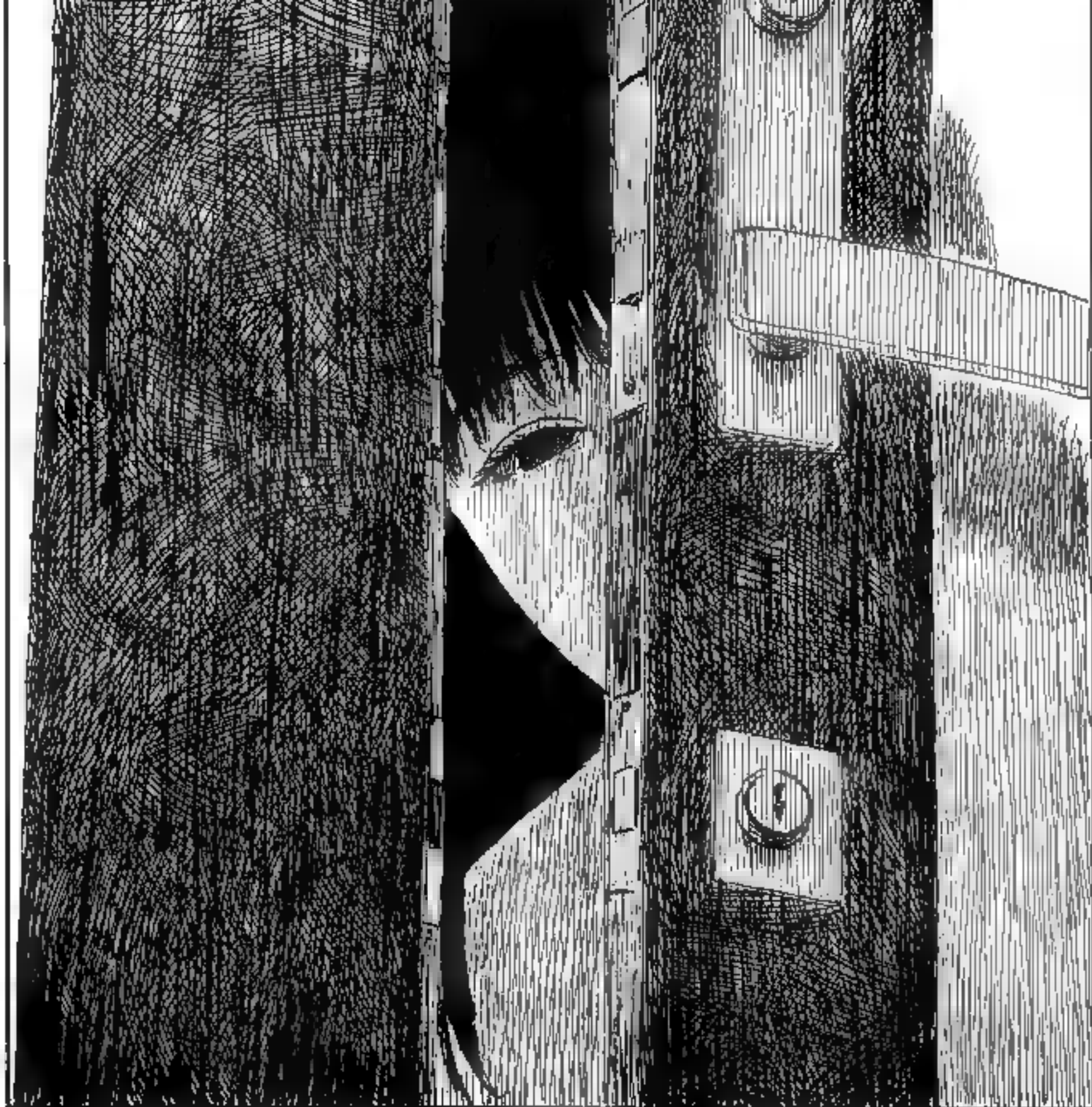


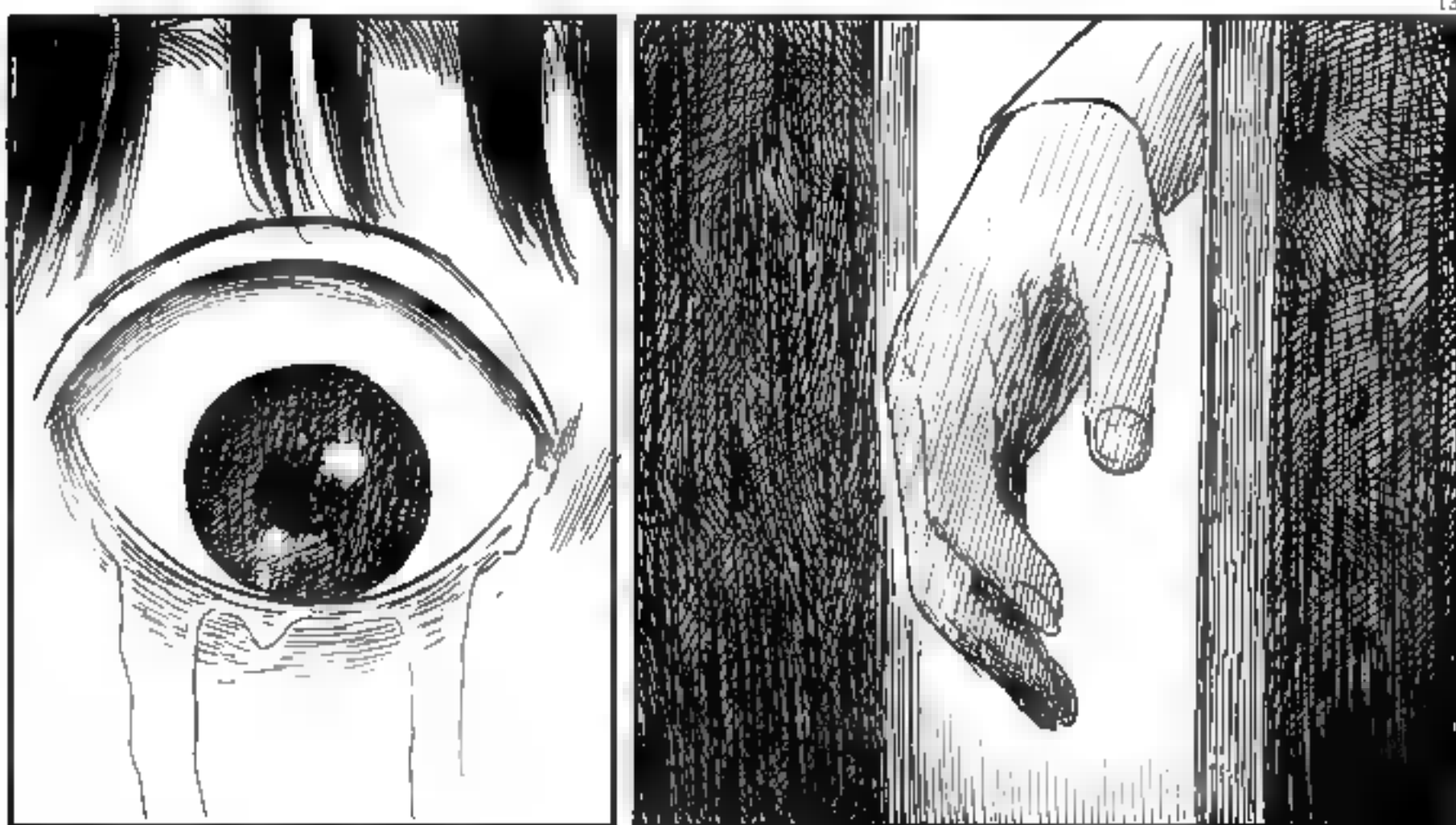
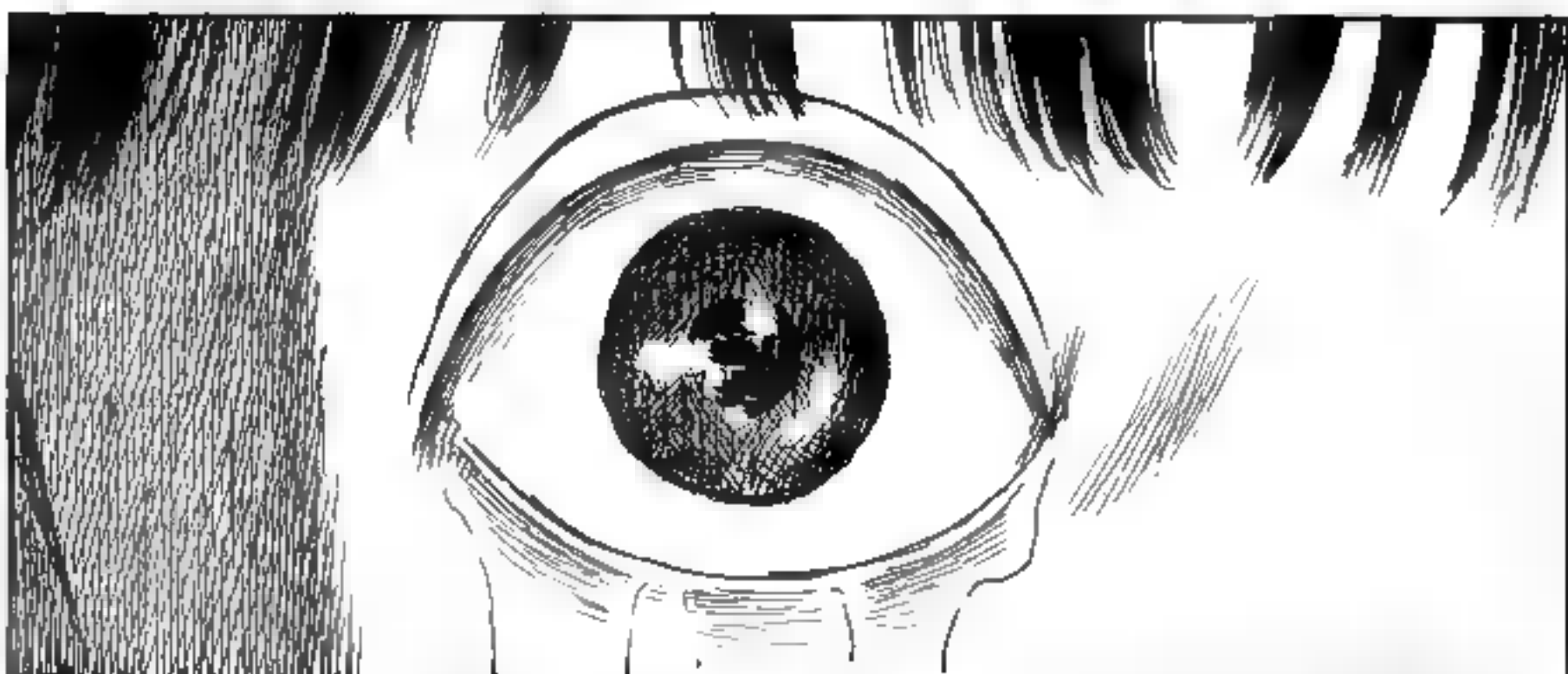
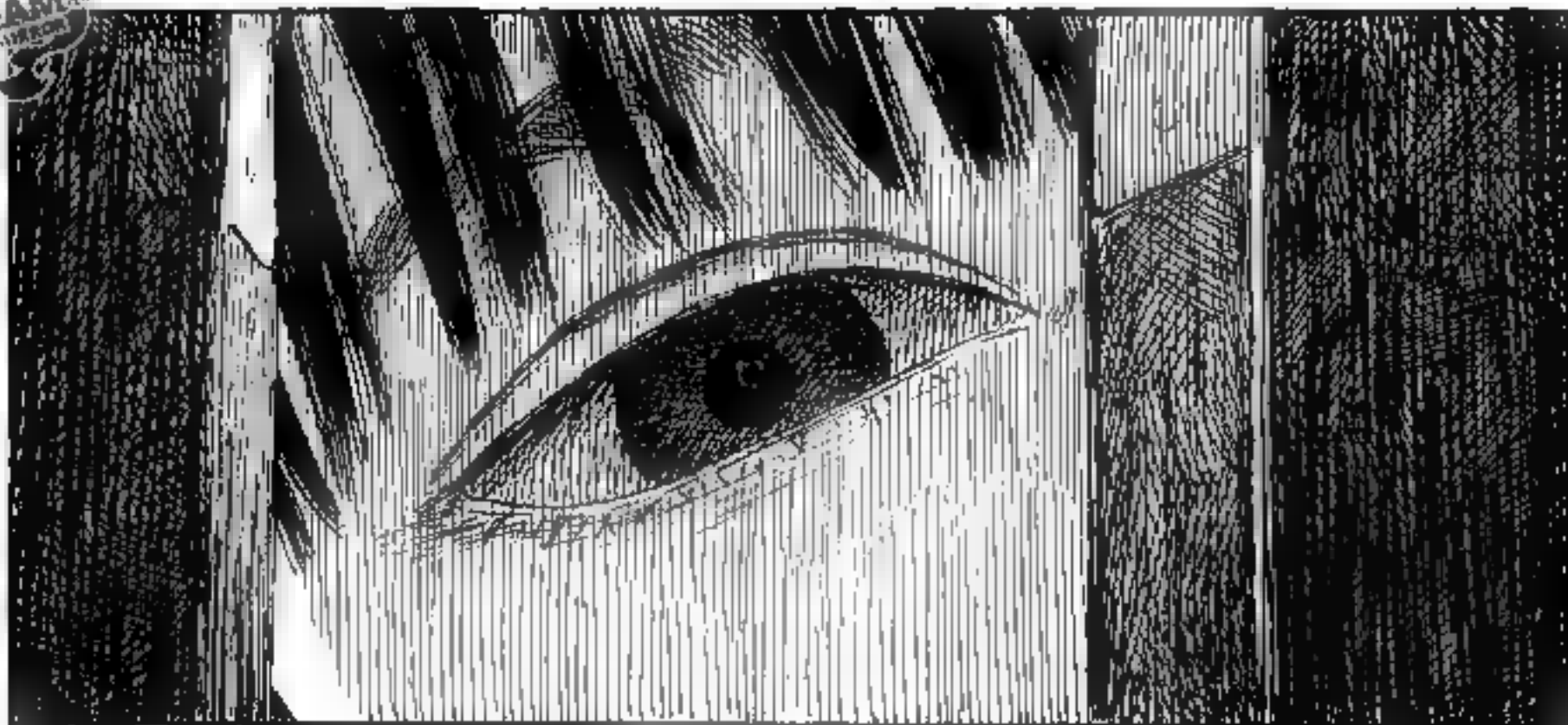


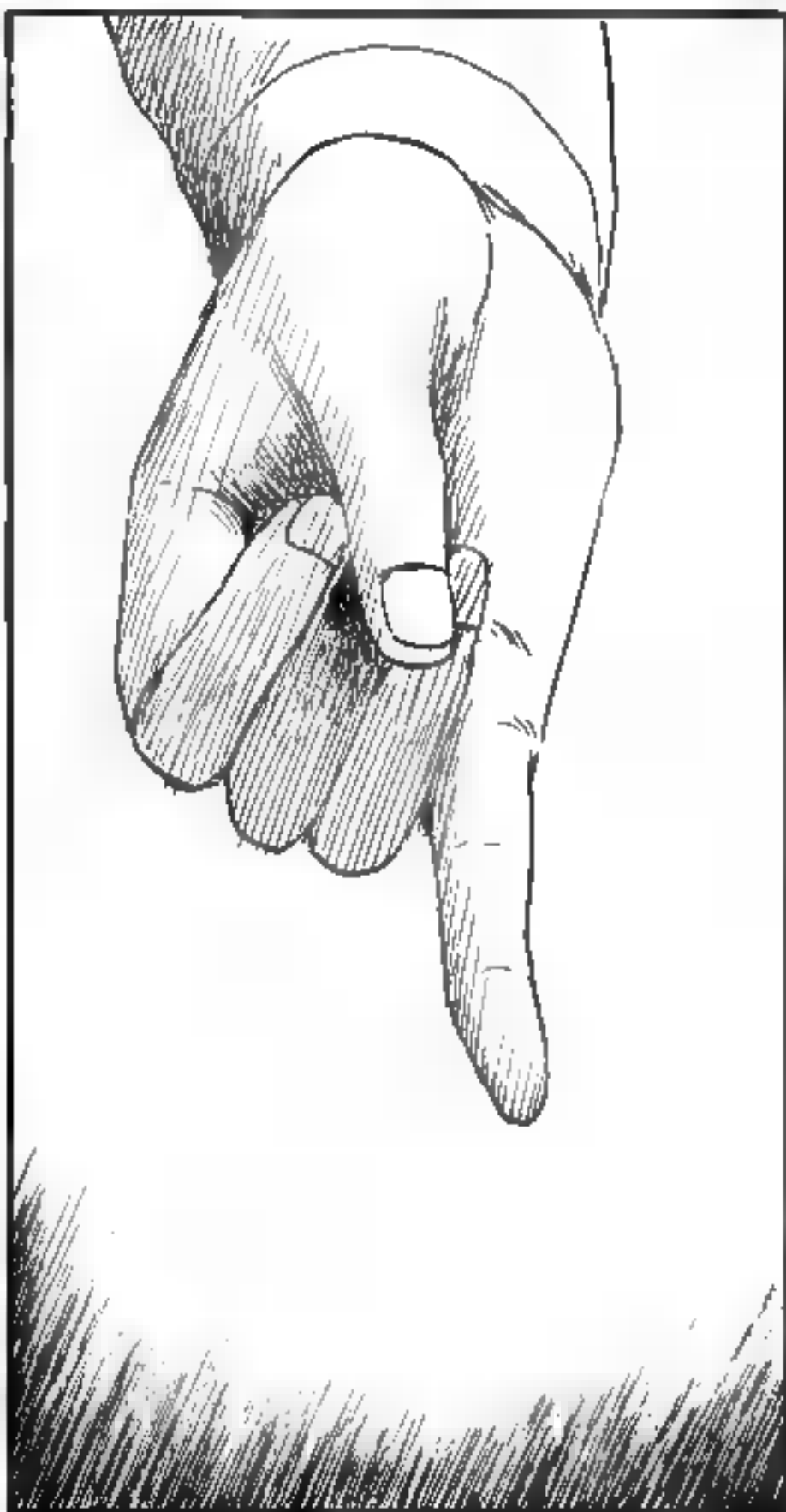
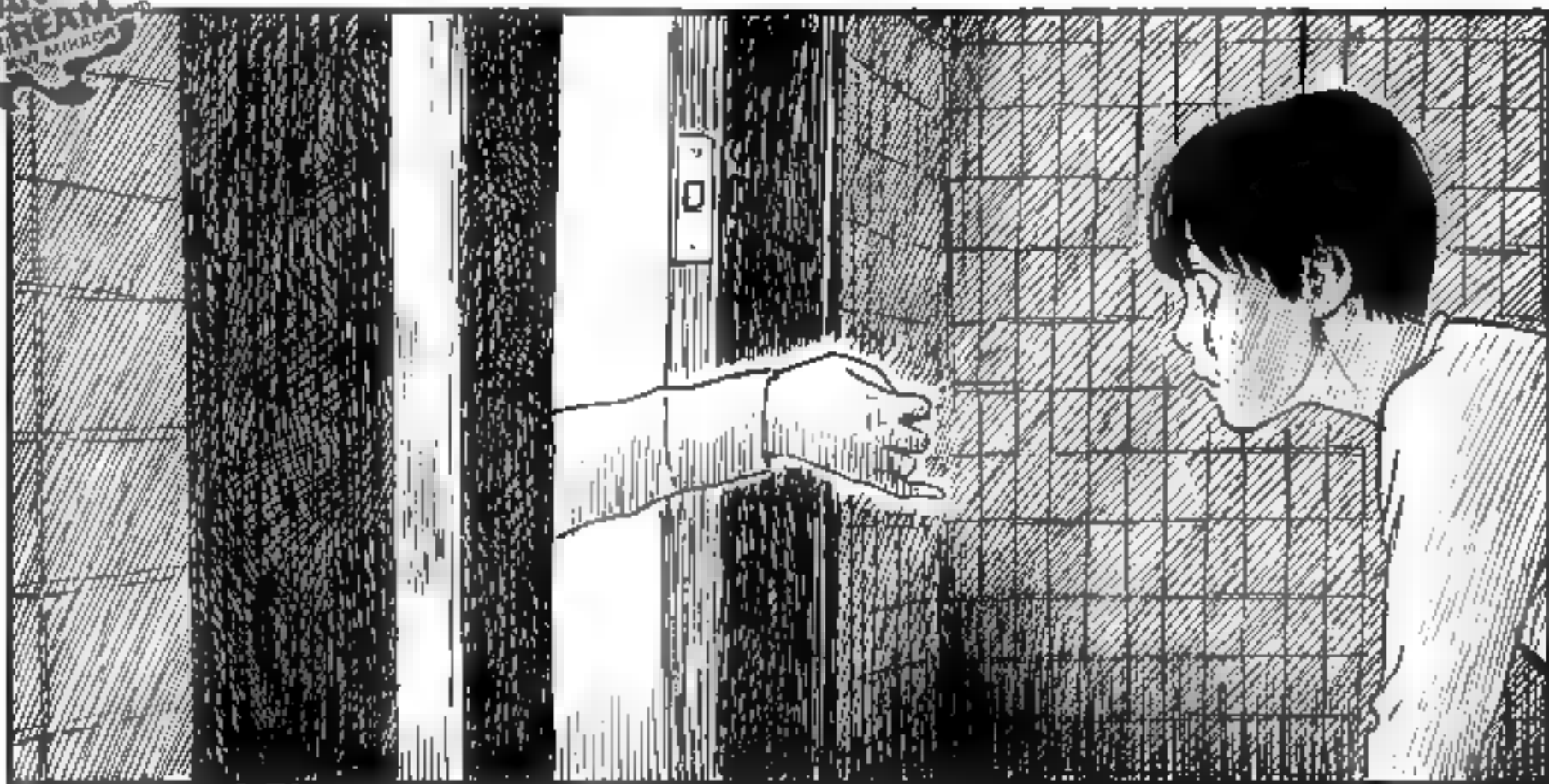
I DON'T
LIKE HER.

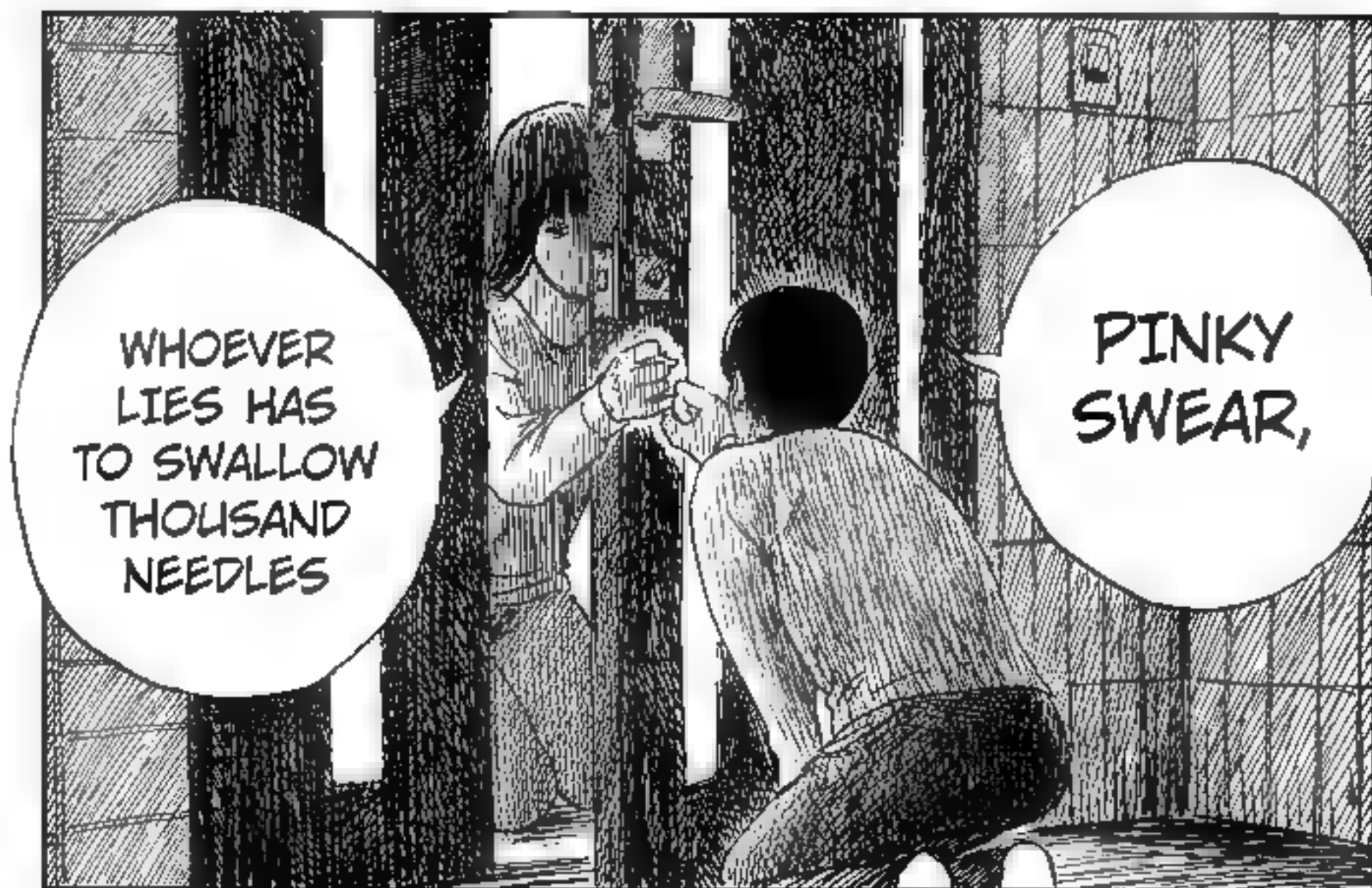
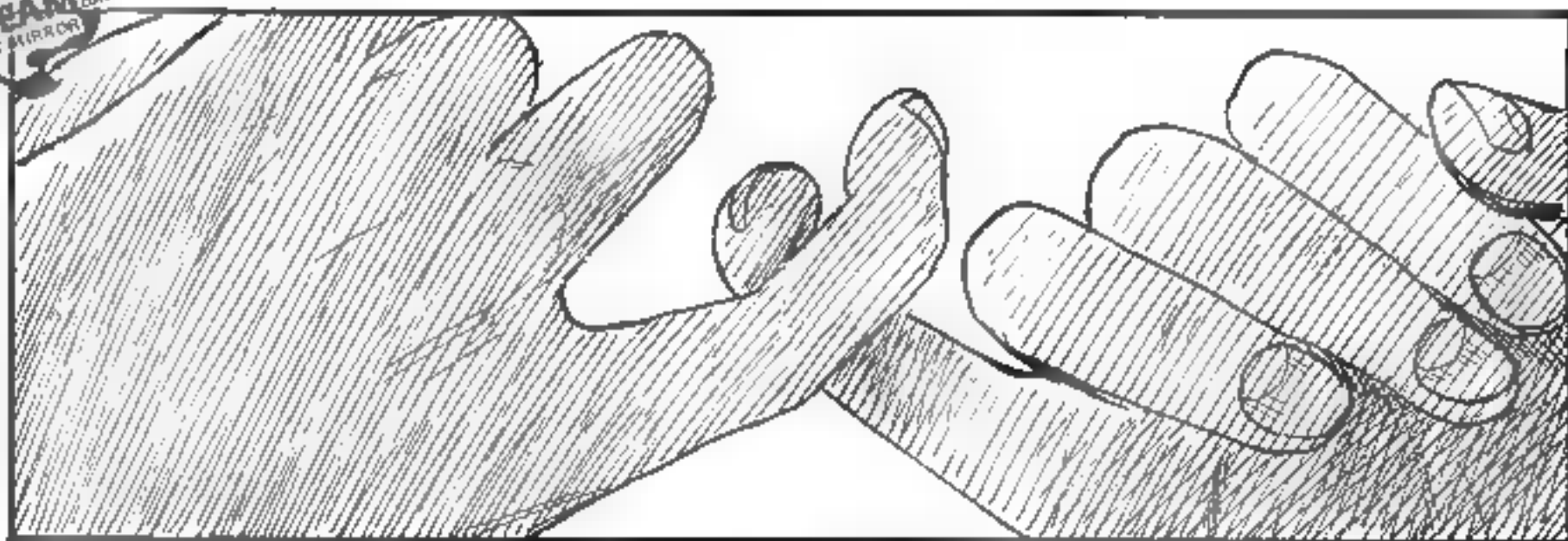
I HATE
HER.











WHOEVER
LIES HAS
TO SWALLOW
THOUSAND
NEEDLES

PINKY
SWEAR,

TN: A PINKY-SWEAR CHANT CALLED "YUBIKIRI"

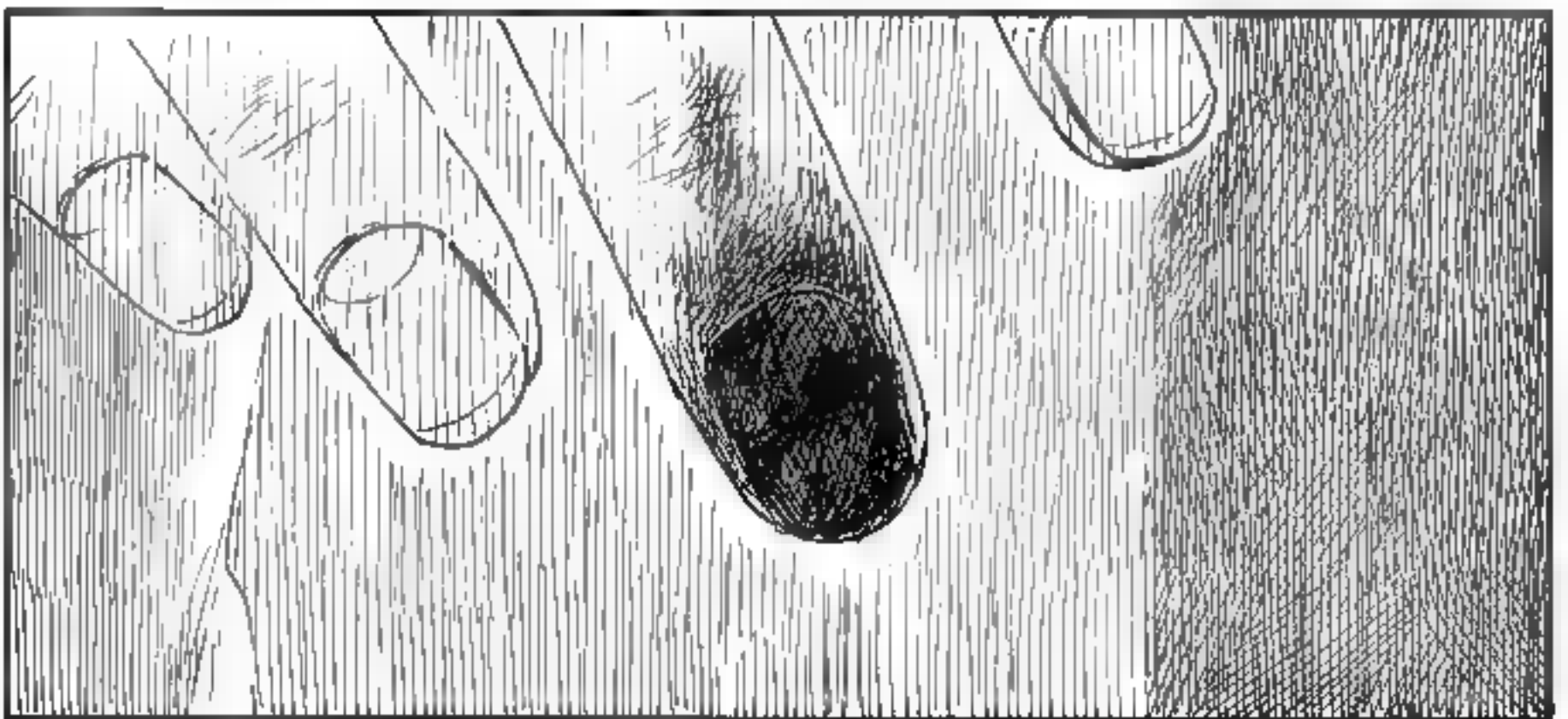
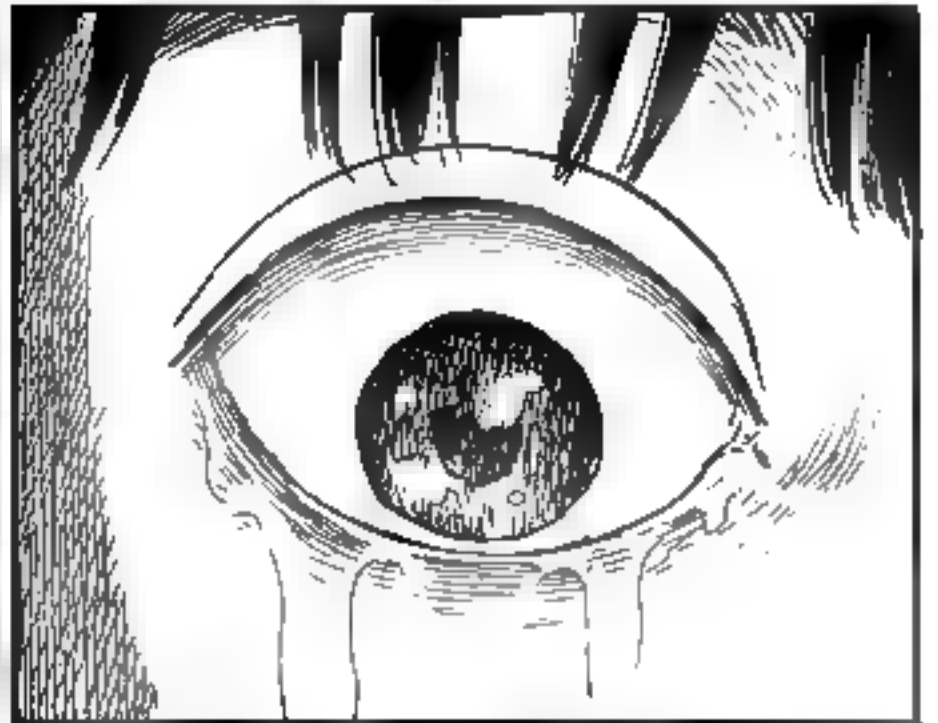
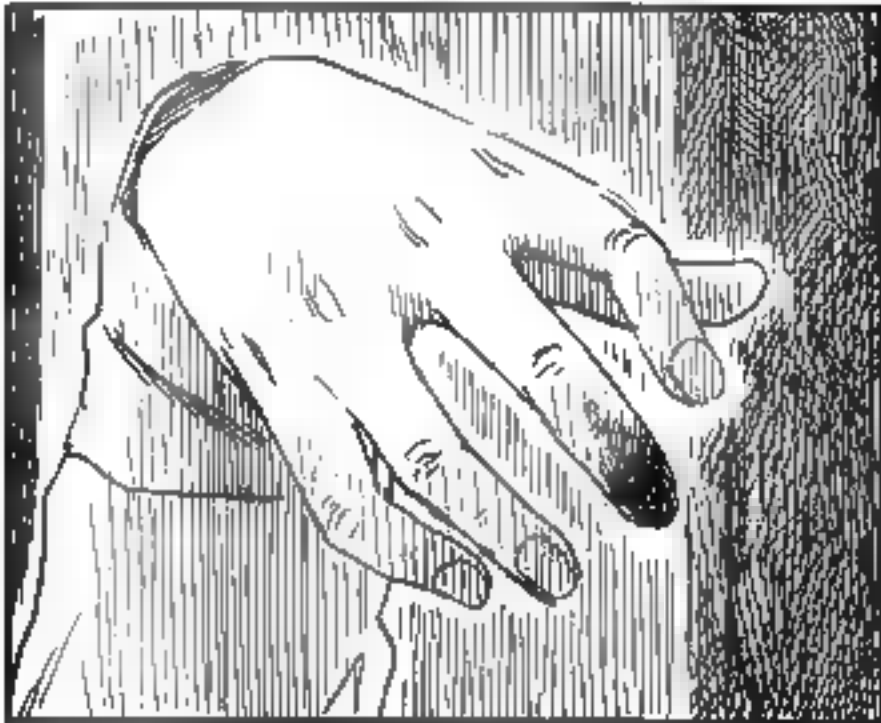


PINKY
SWEAR!

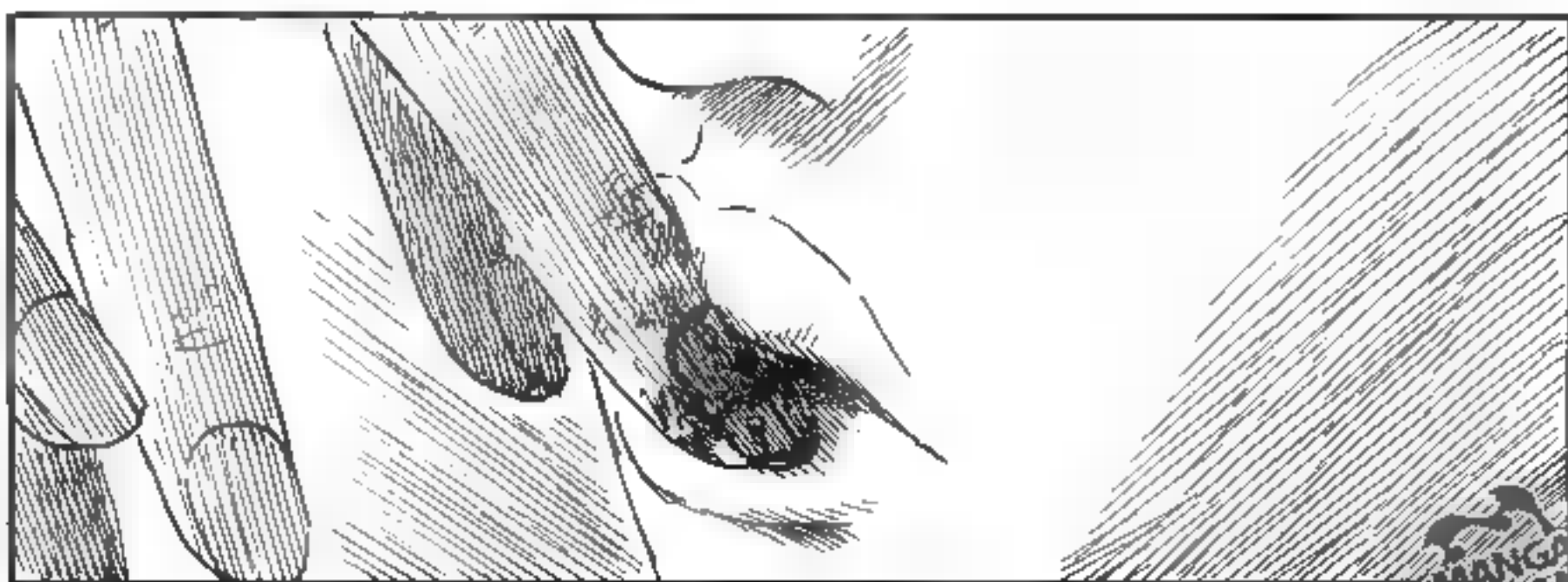
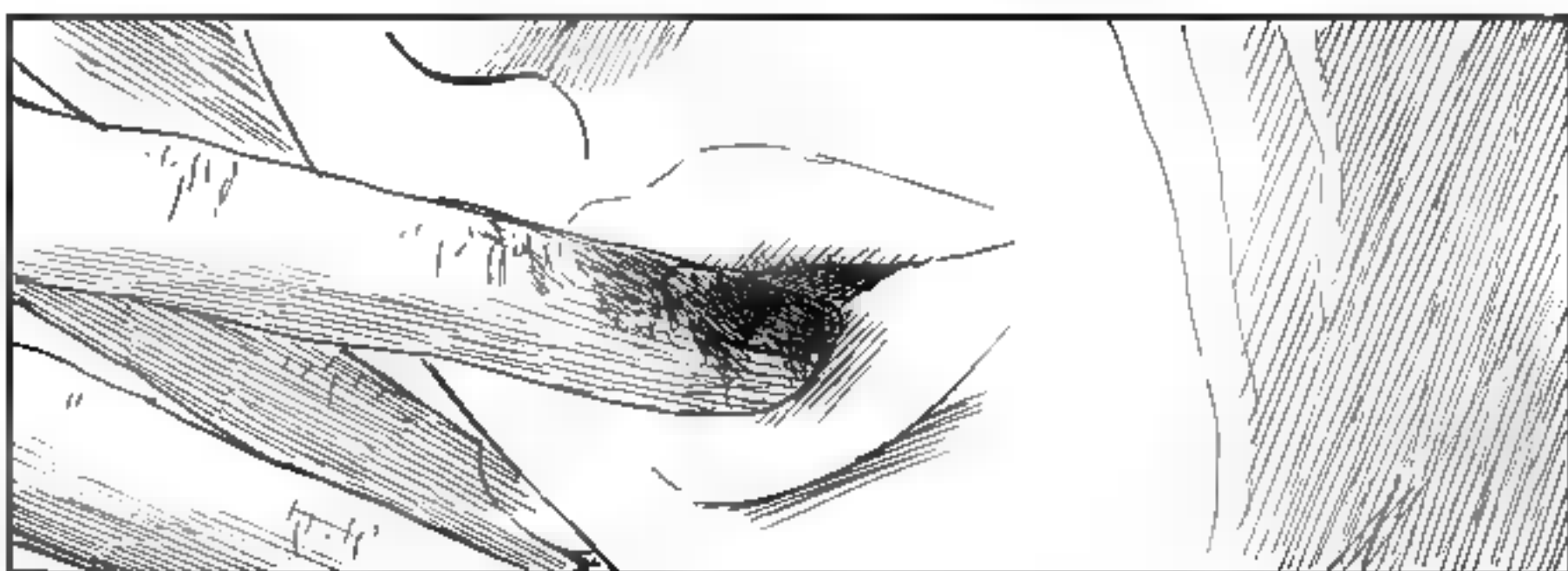


IT'S A
PROMISE,

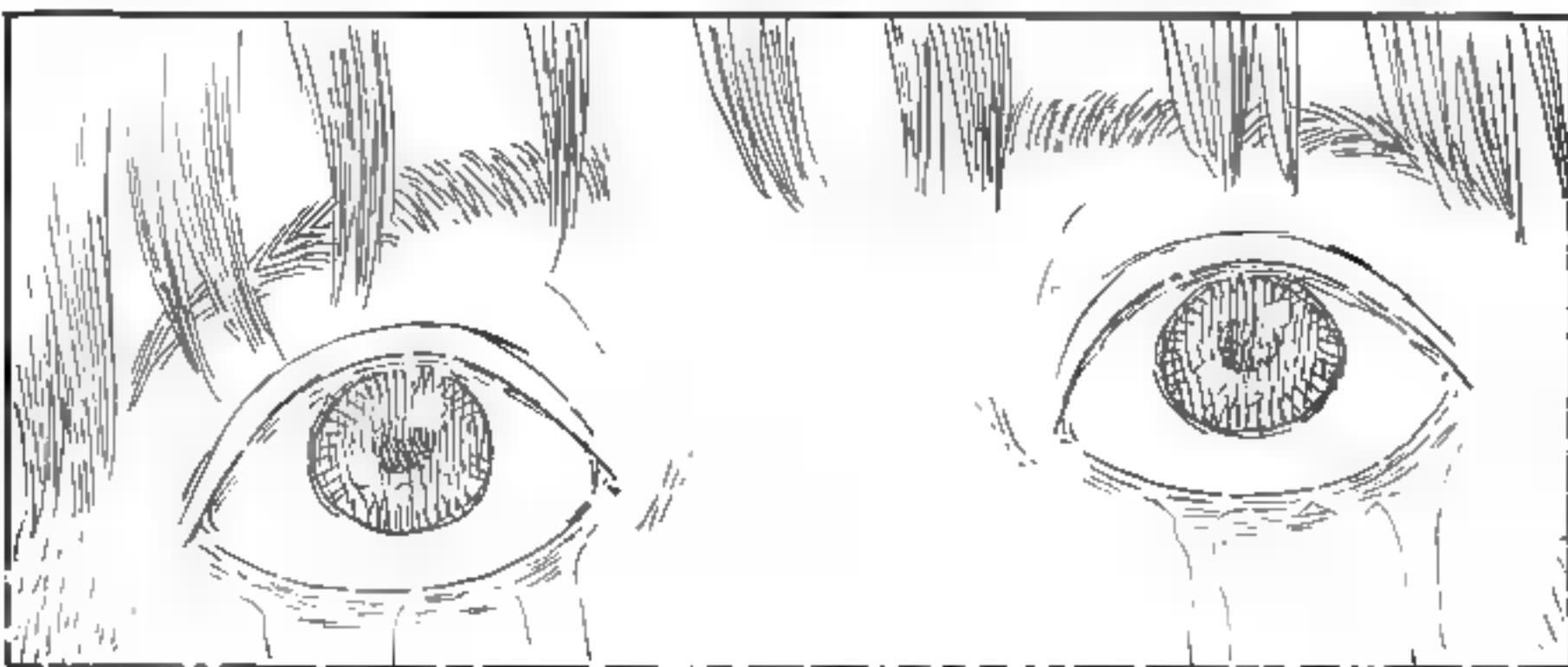
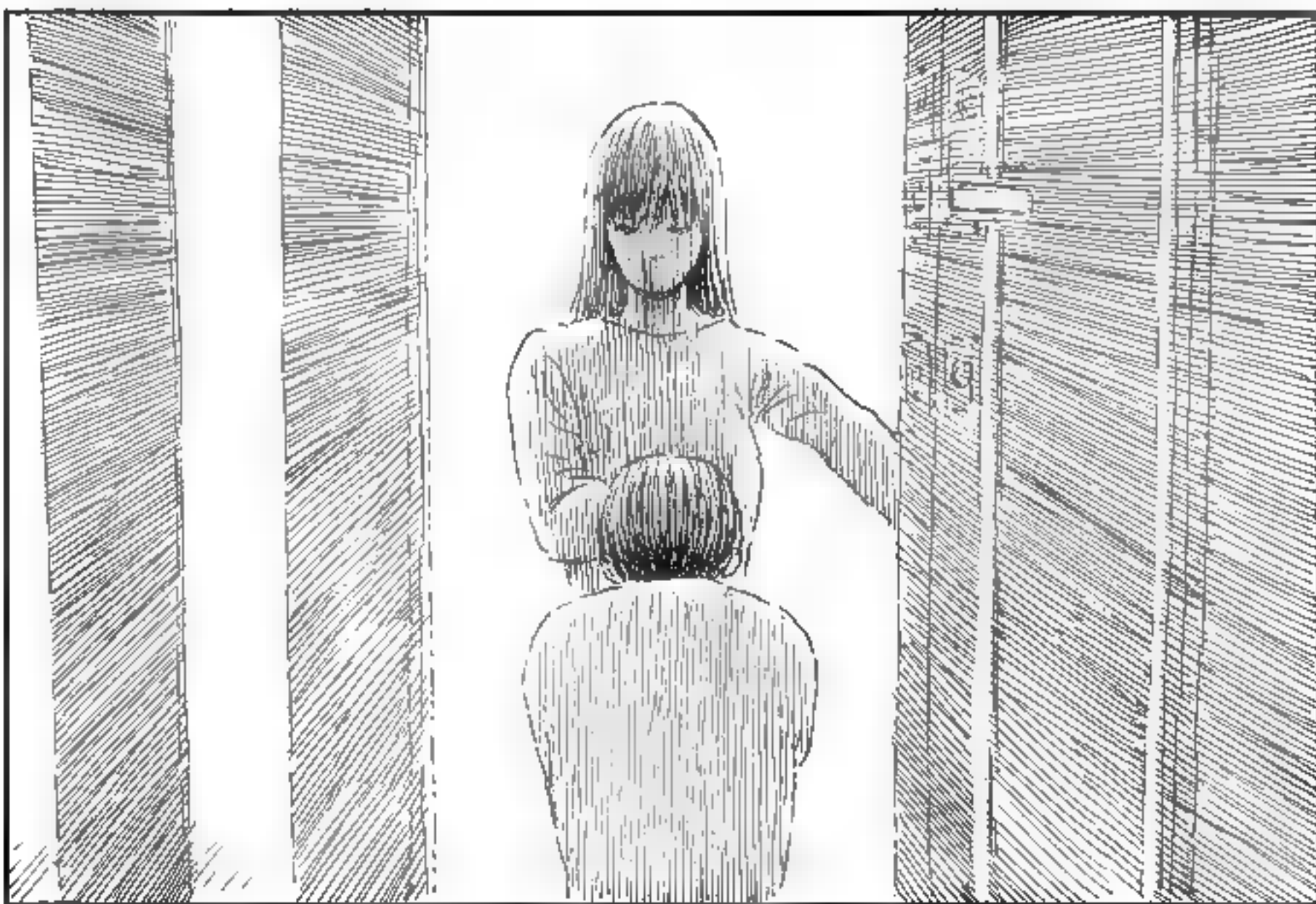
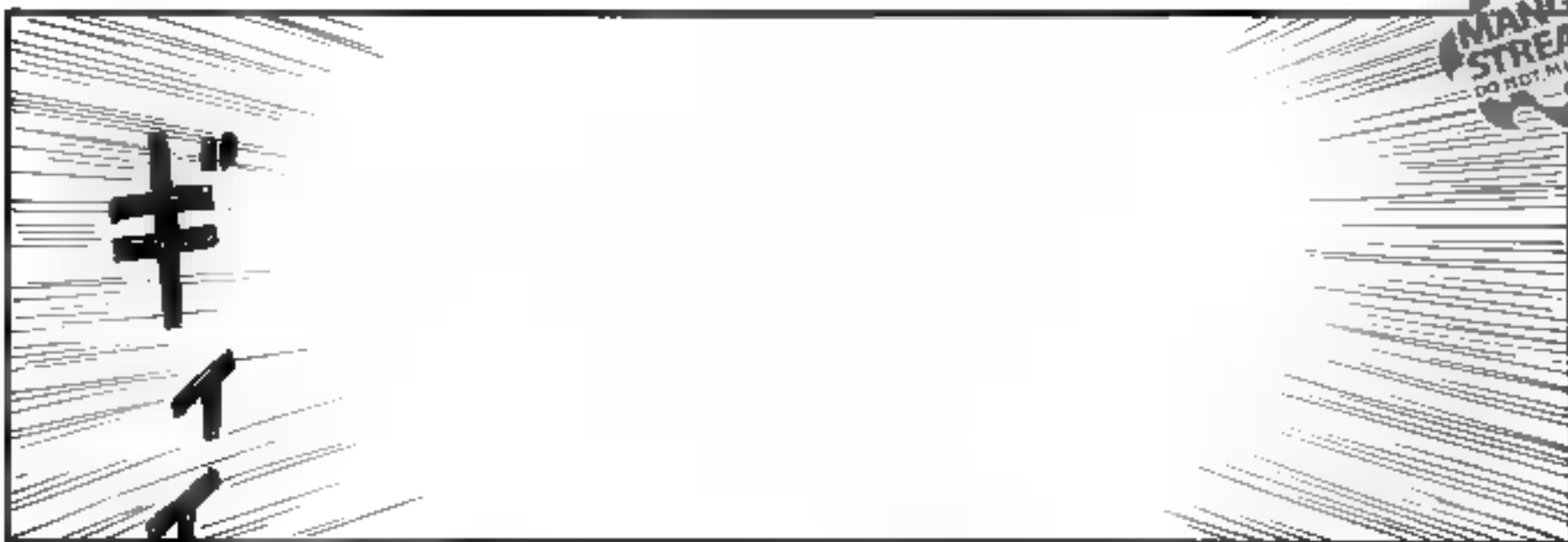
SO YOU
HAVE TO
KEEP IT.







I WILL...





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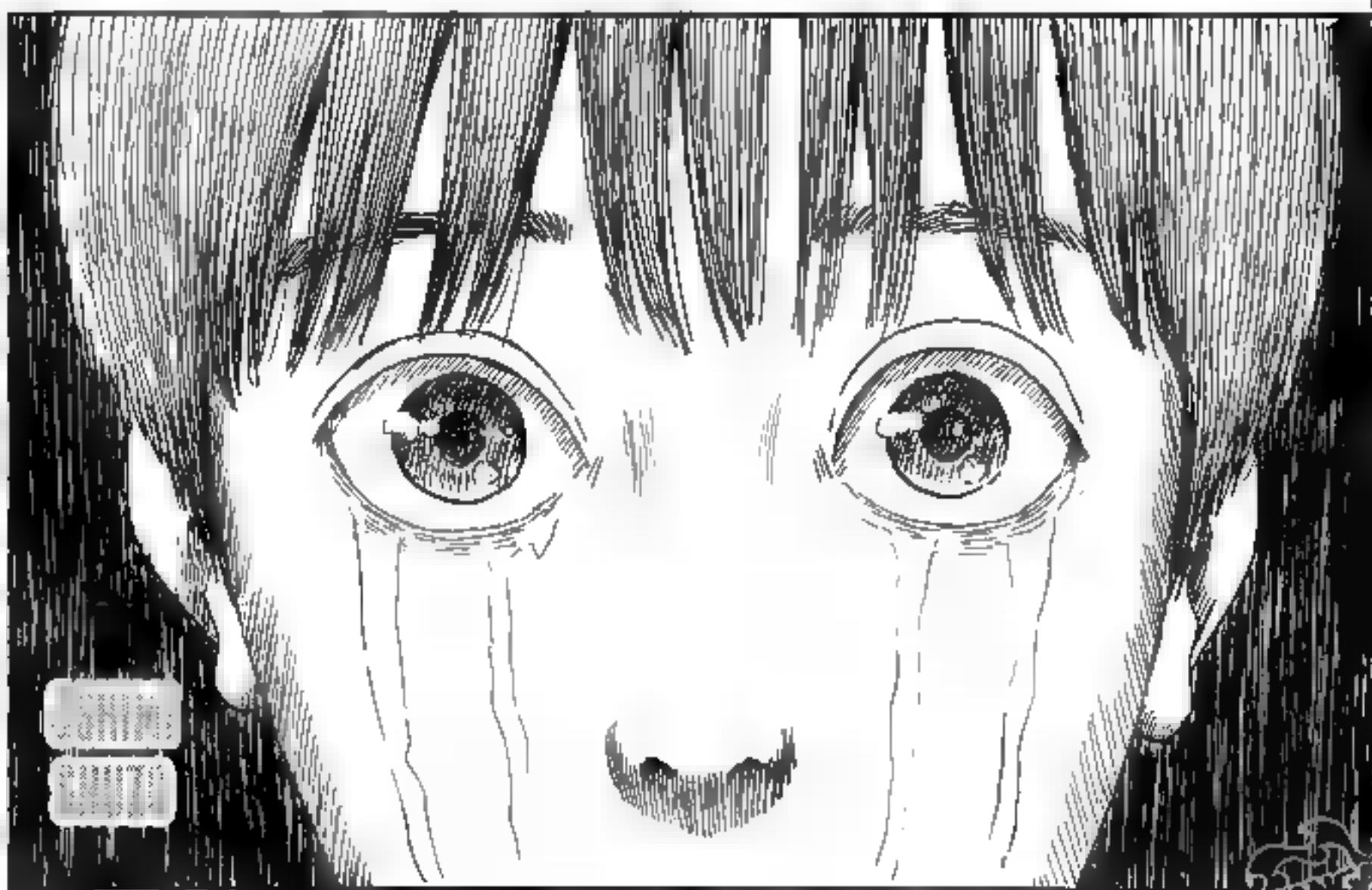
SHIGERU... HAS AWAKENED...!?

FILLED WITH REGRET FOR WHAT HE HAD DONE WITH FUKIISHI, SEI SWEARS LOYALTY TO HIS MOTHER. A HAND REACHES TO COMFORT HIM...

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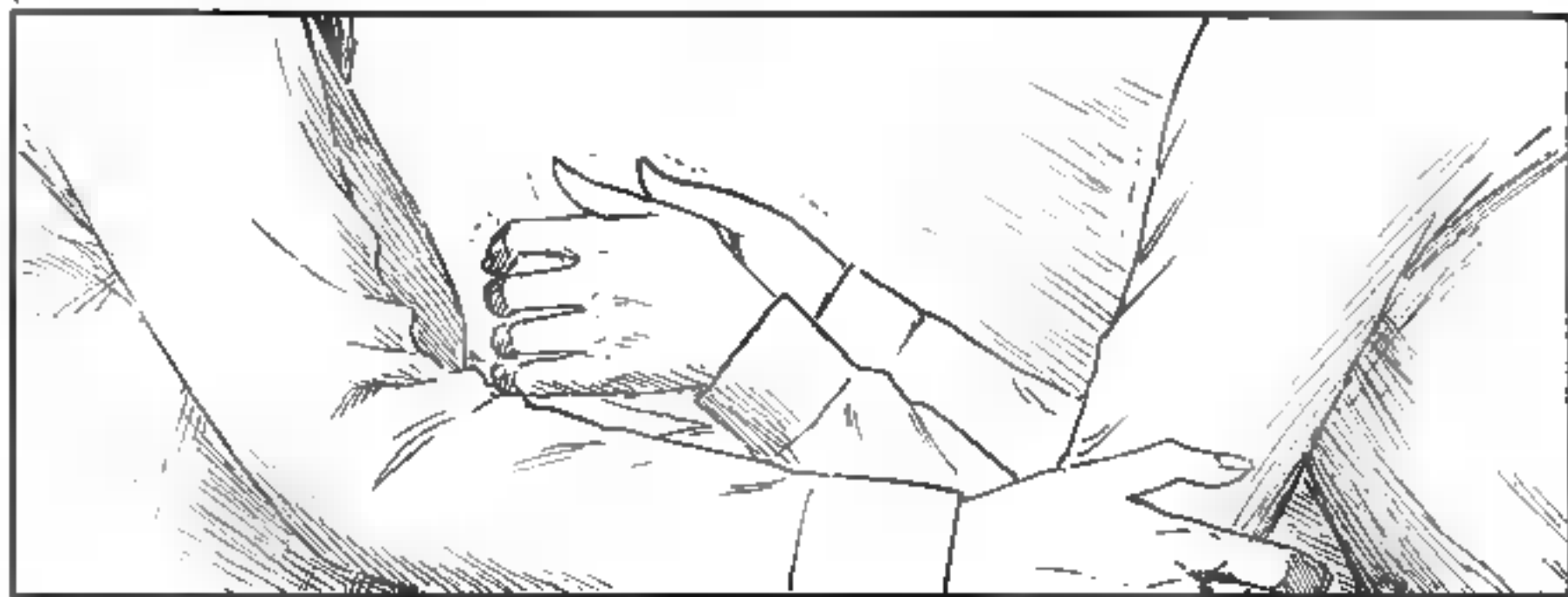
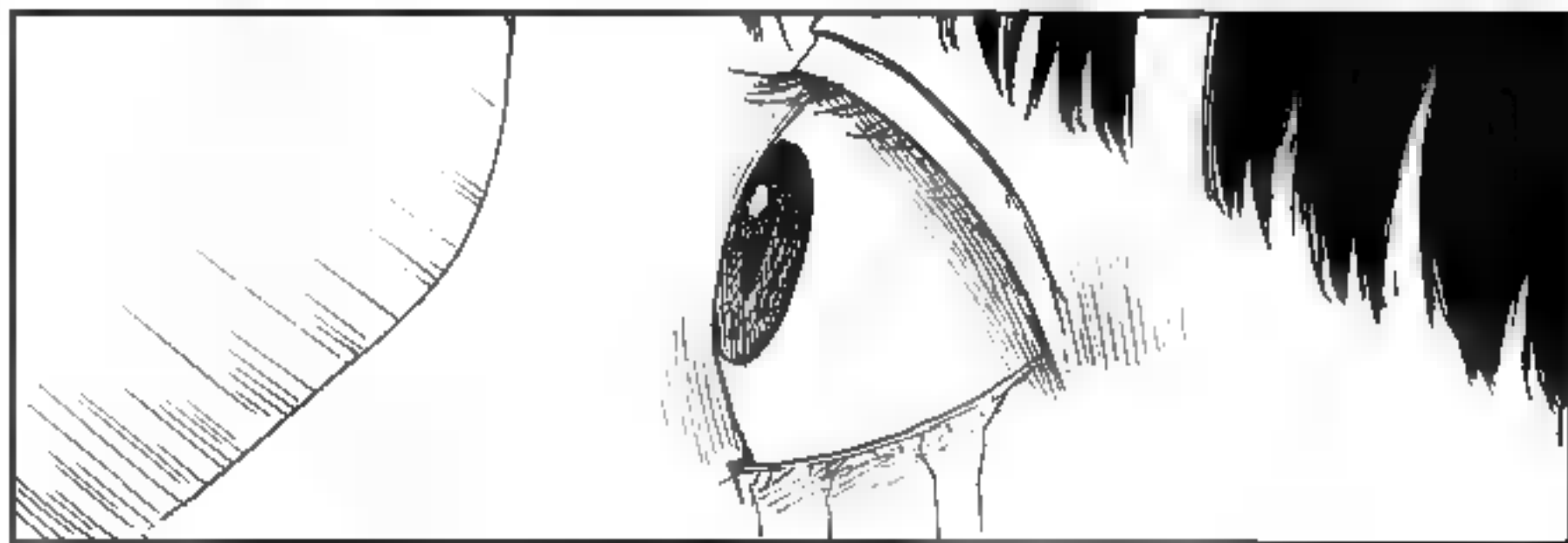
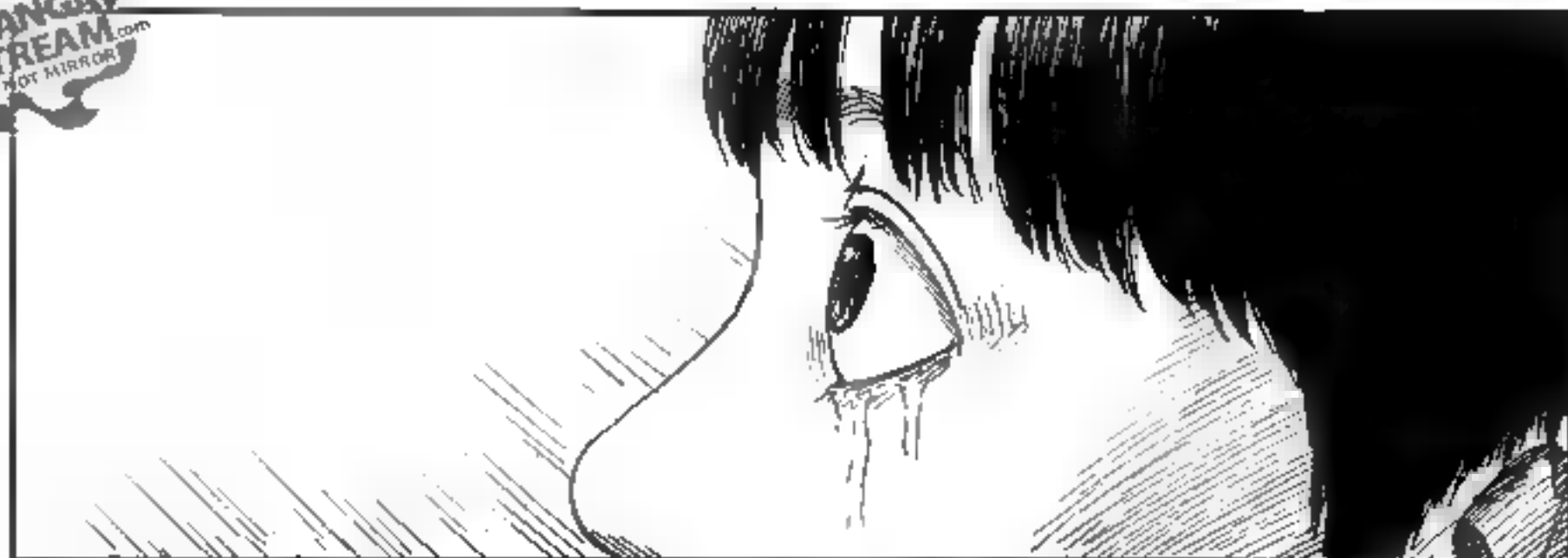
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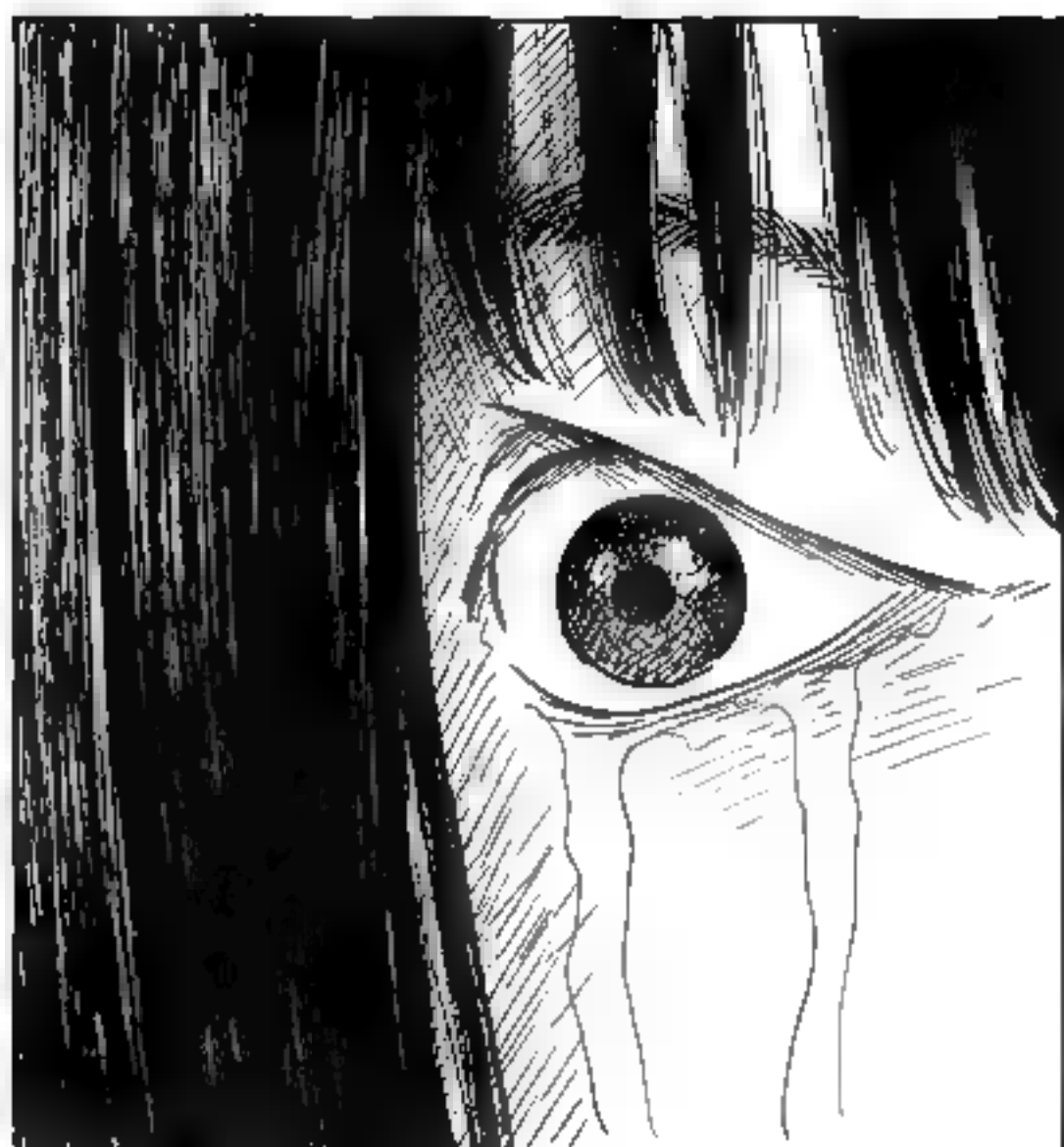
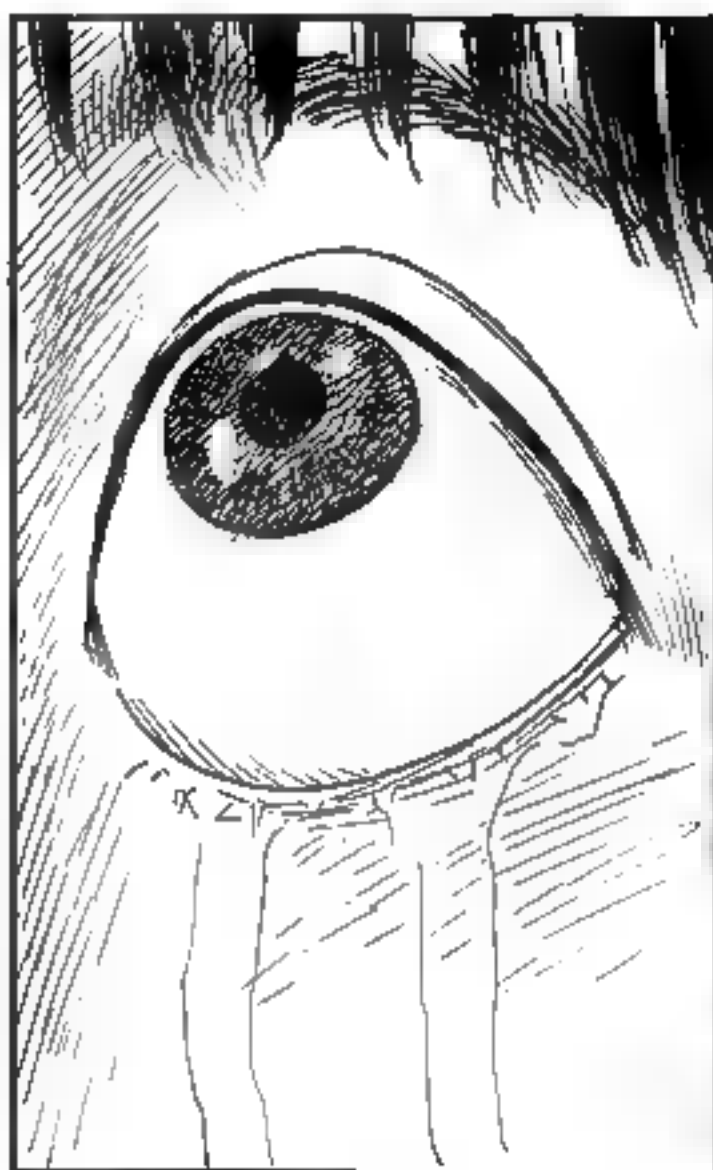
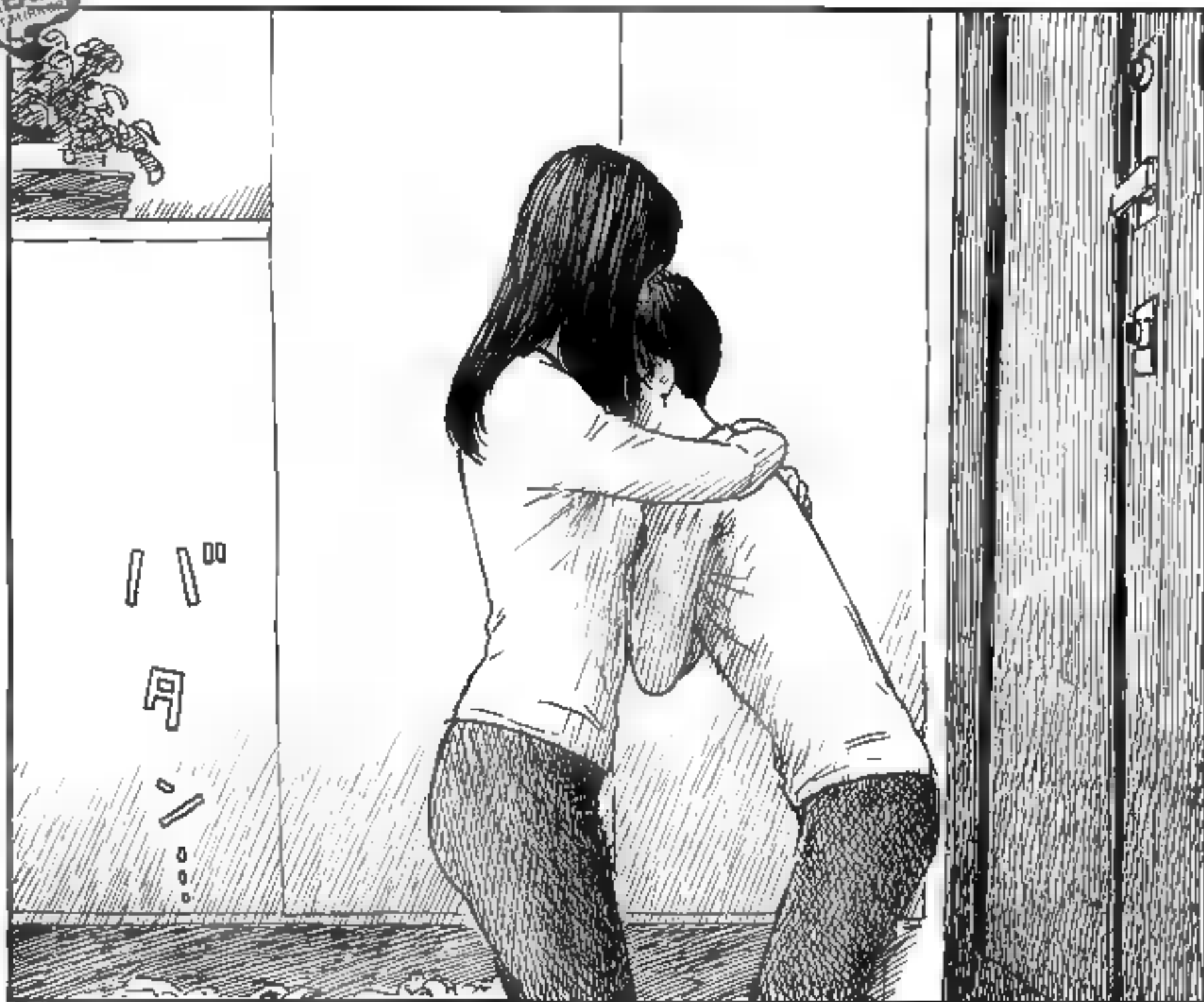


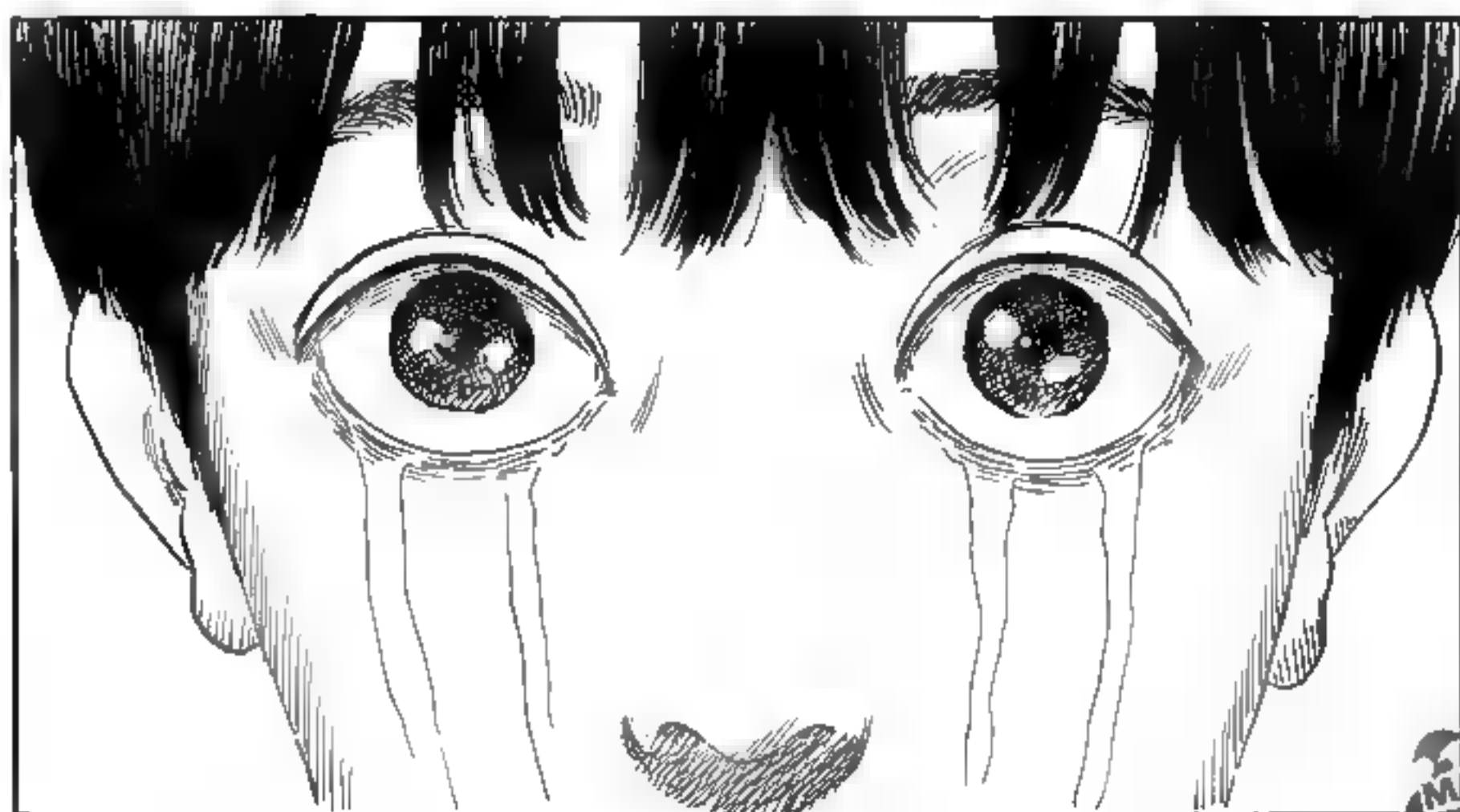
I SHOUTED OUT IN DESPAIR THAT I WOULD SACRIFICE EVERYTHING FOR YOU... EVERYTHING FOR MOTHER'S FORGIVENESS.

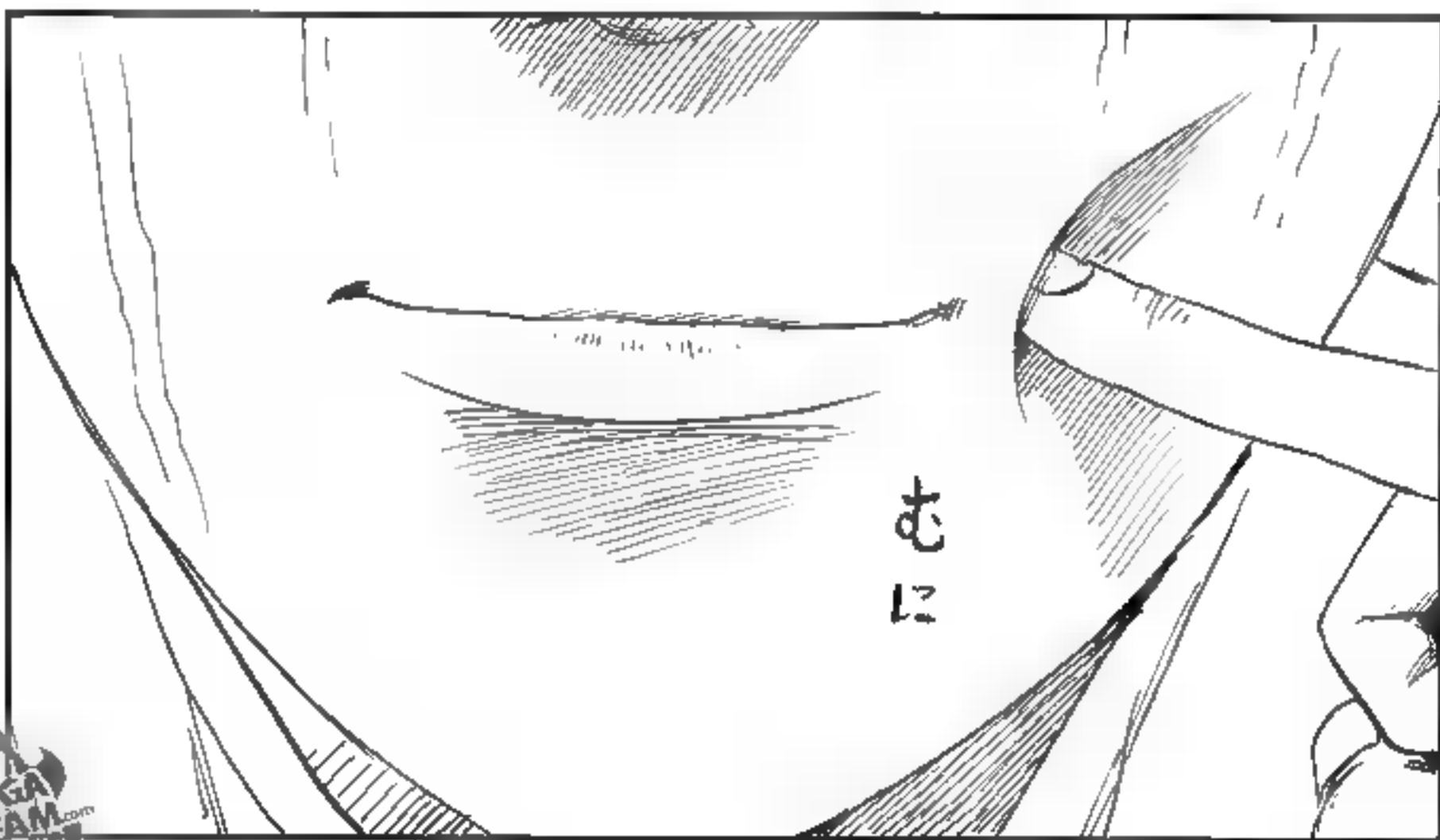


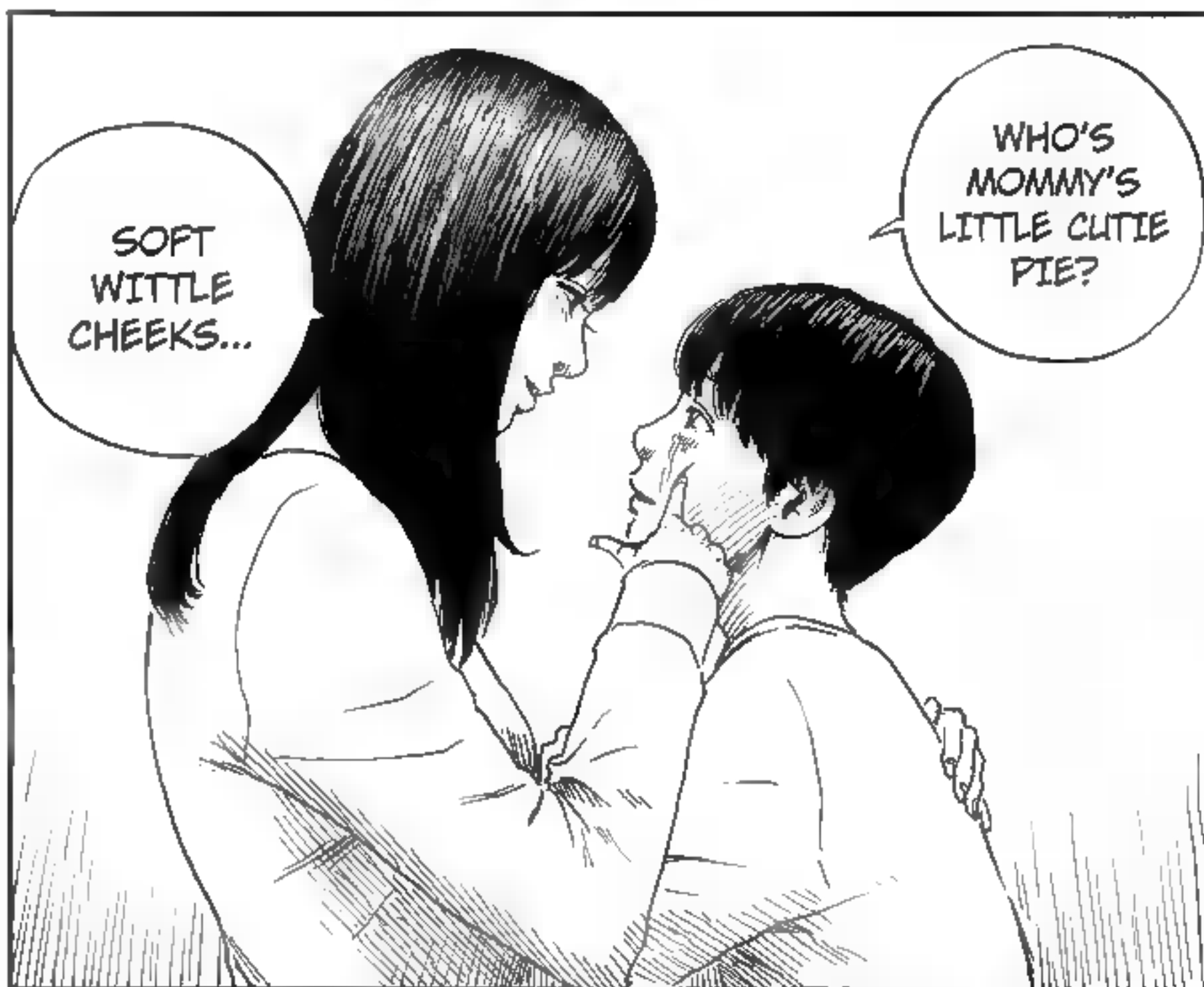
COME
ON IN.









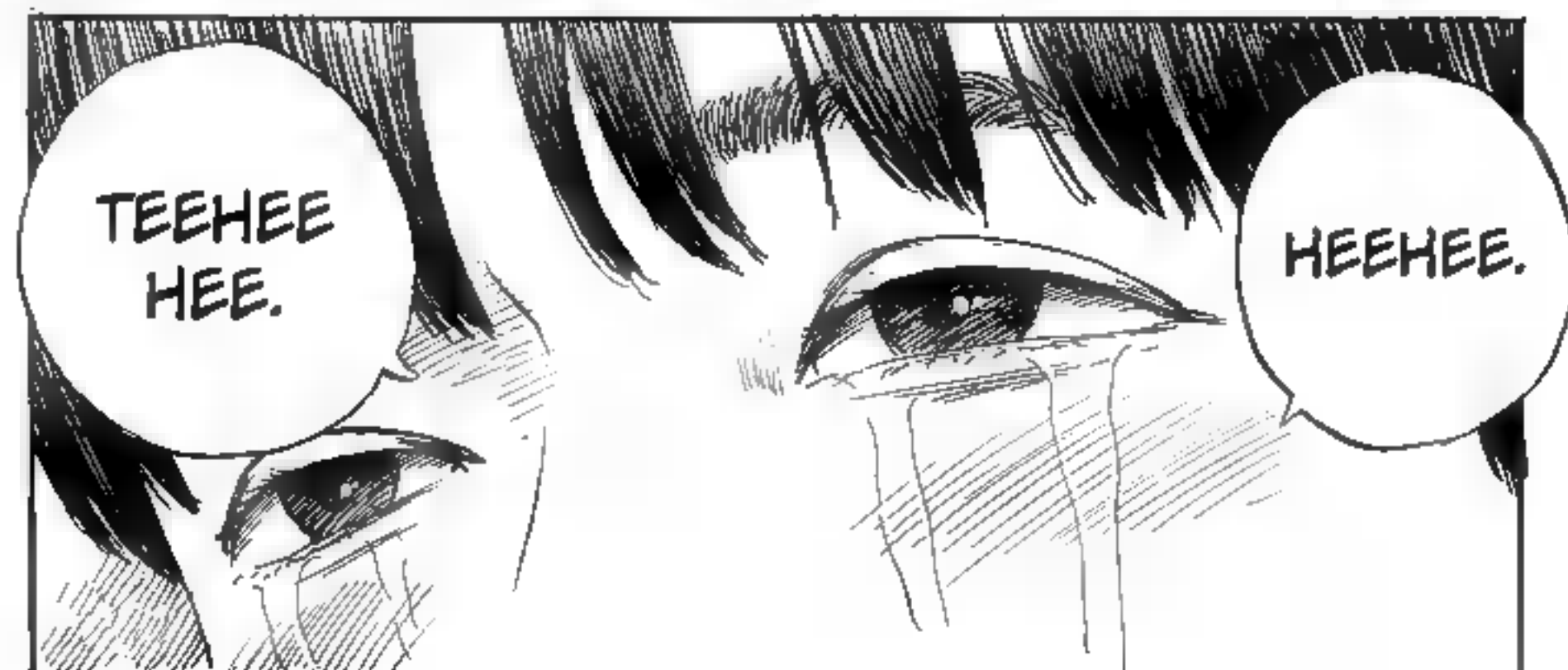


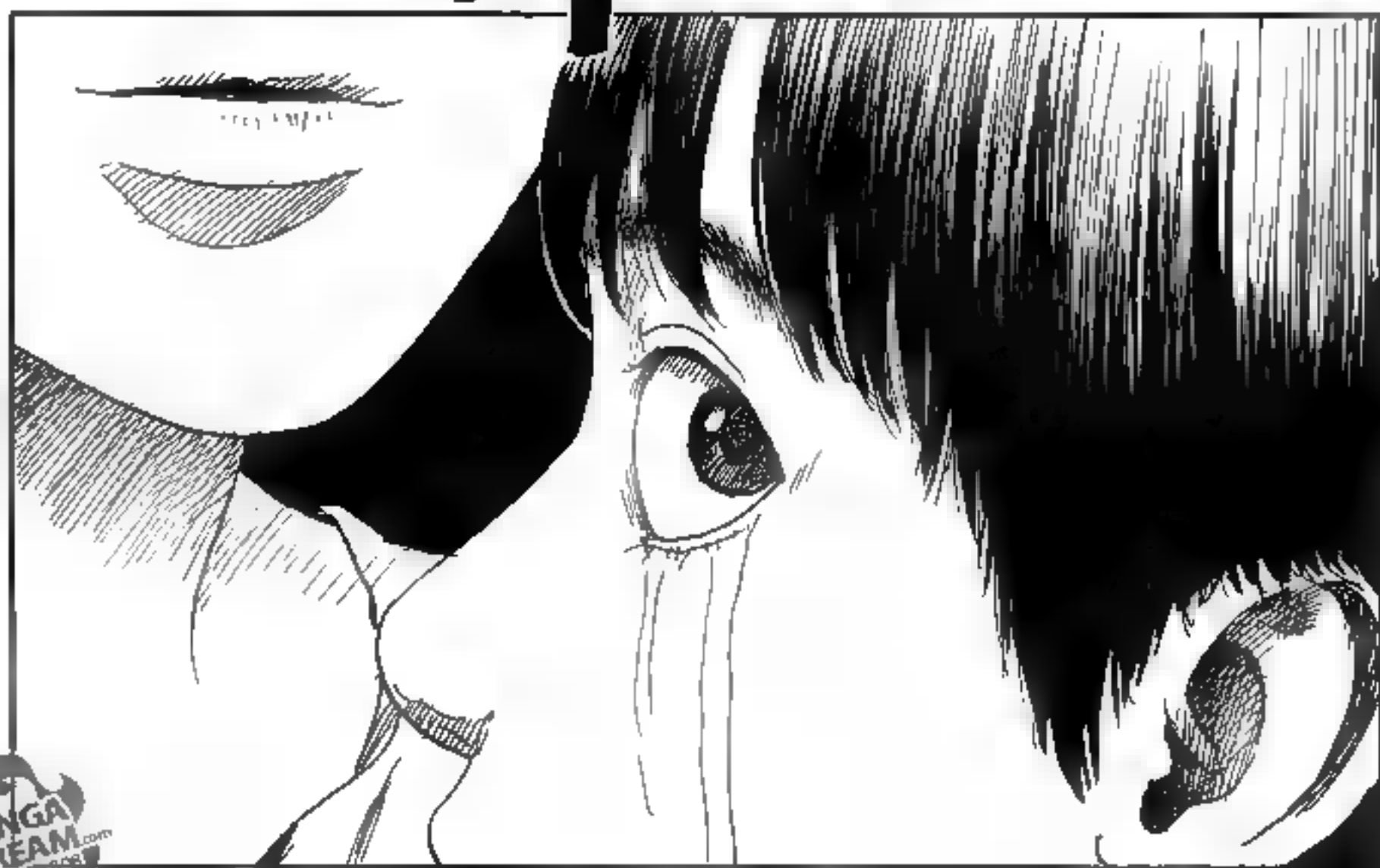
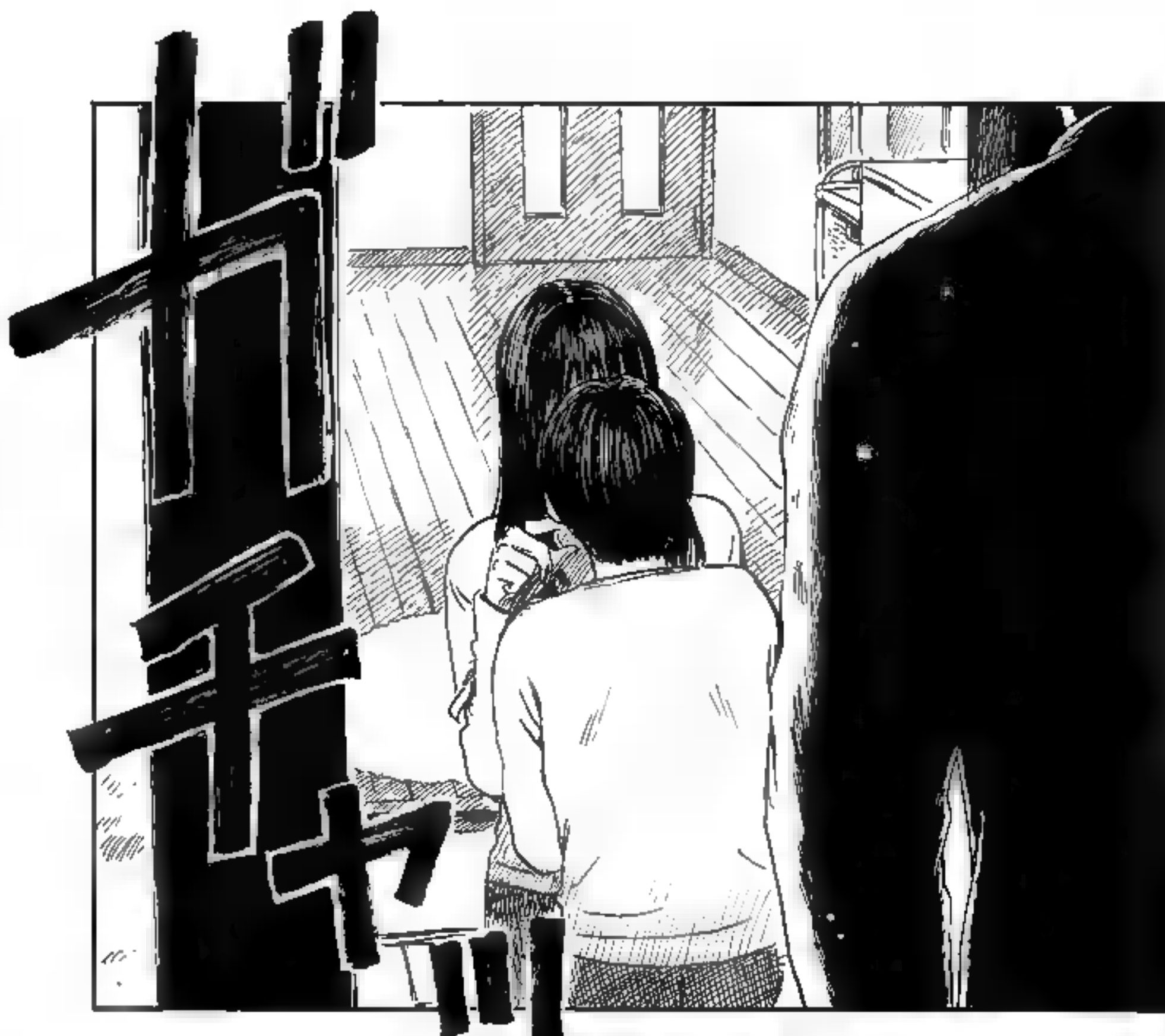
TEEHEE.

SO
SWOFT.

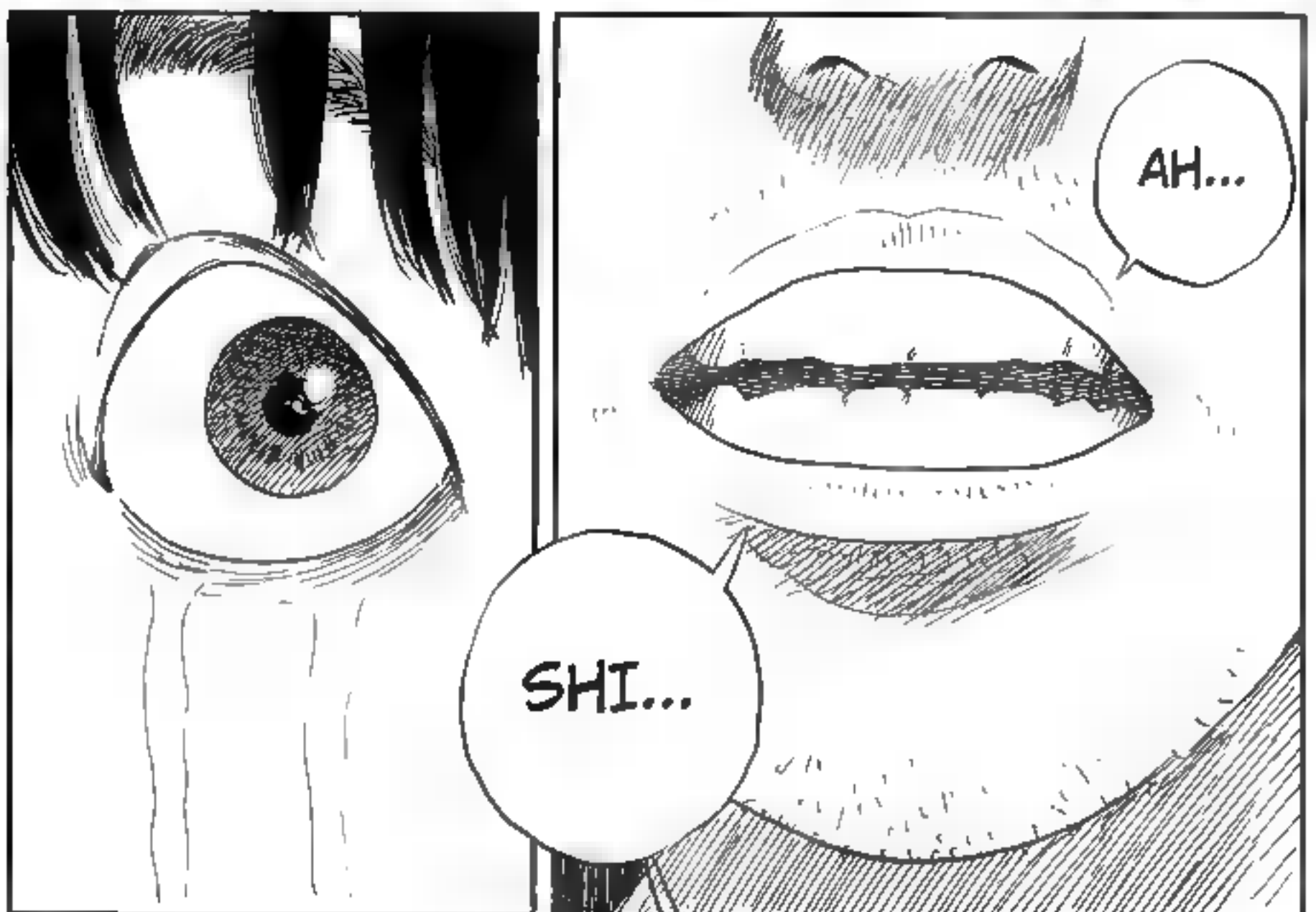
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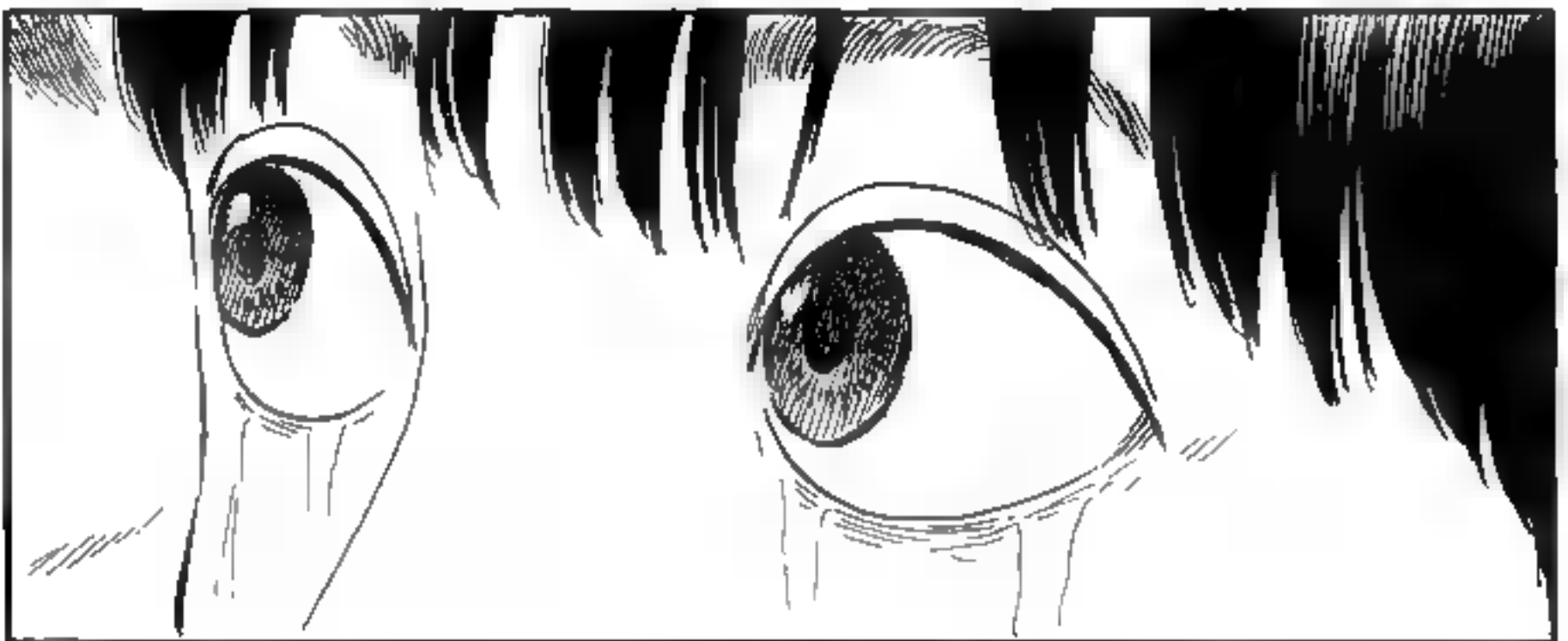
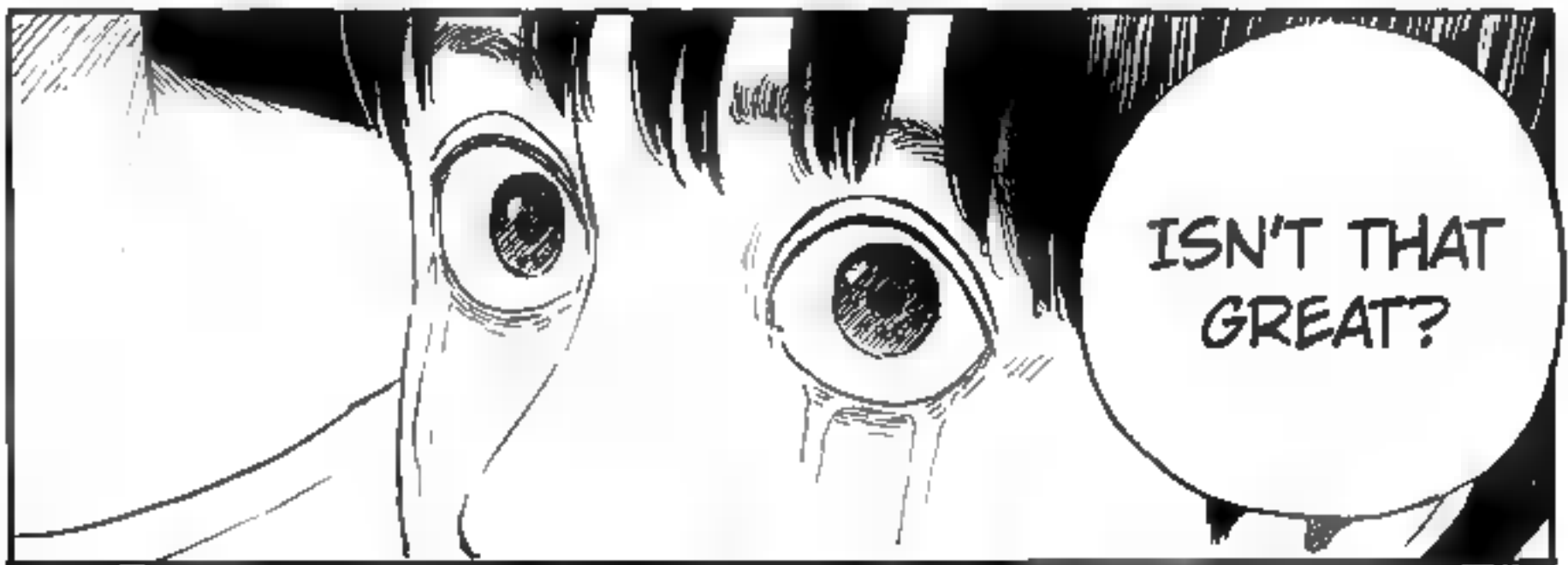


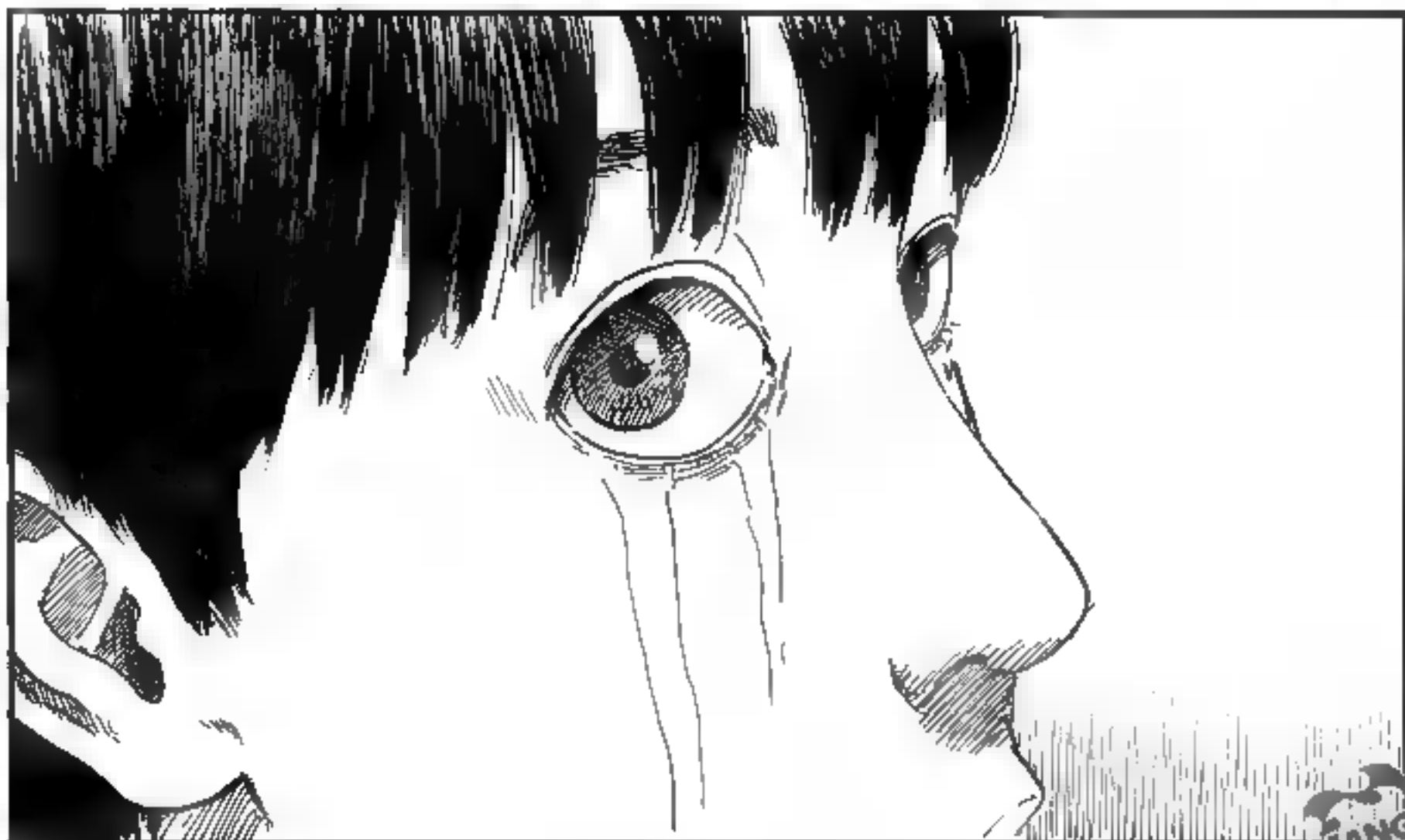


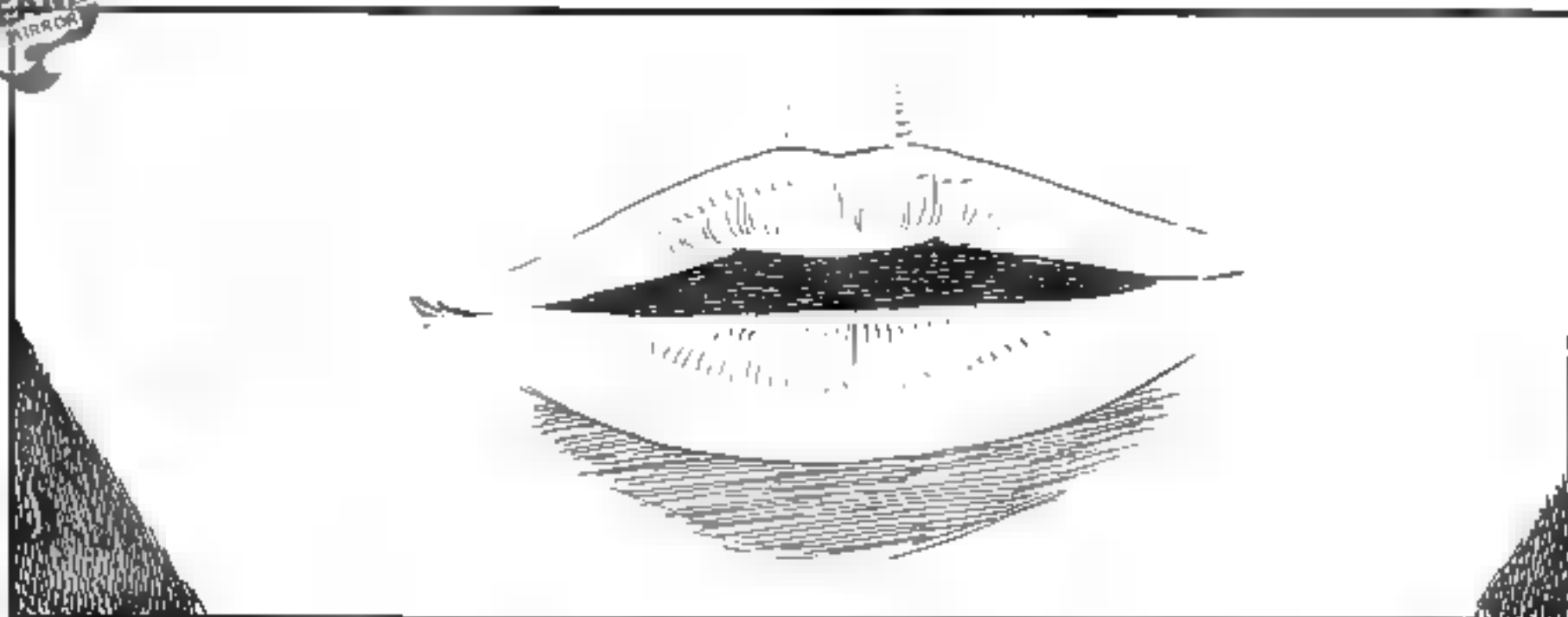


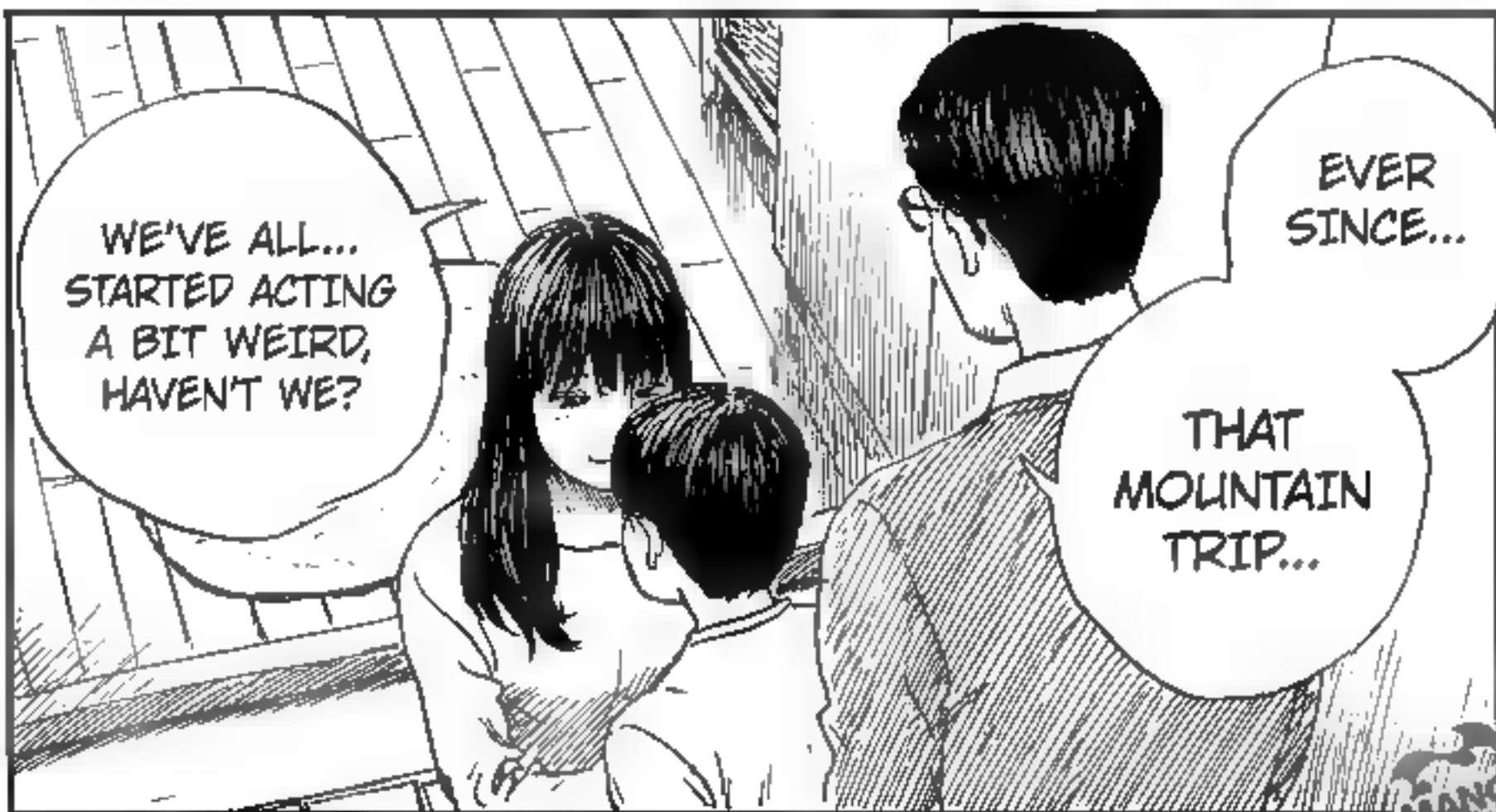
SHIGERU...

HE
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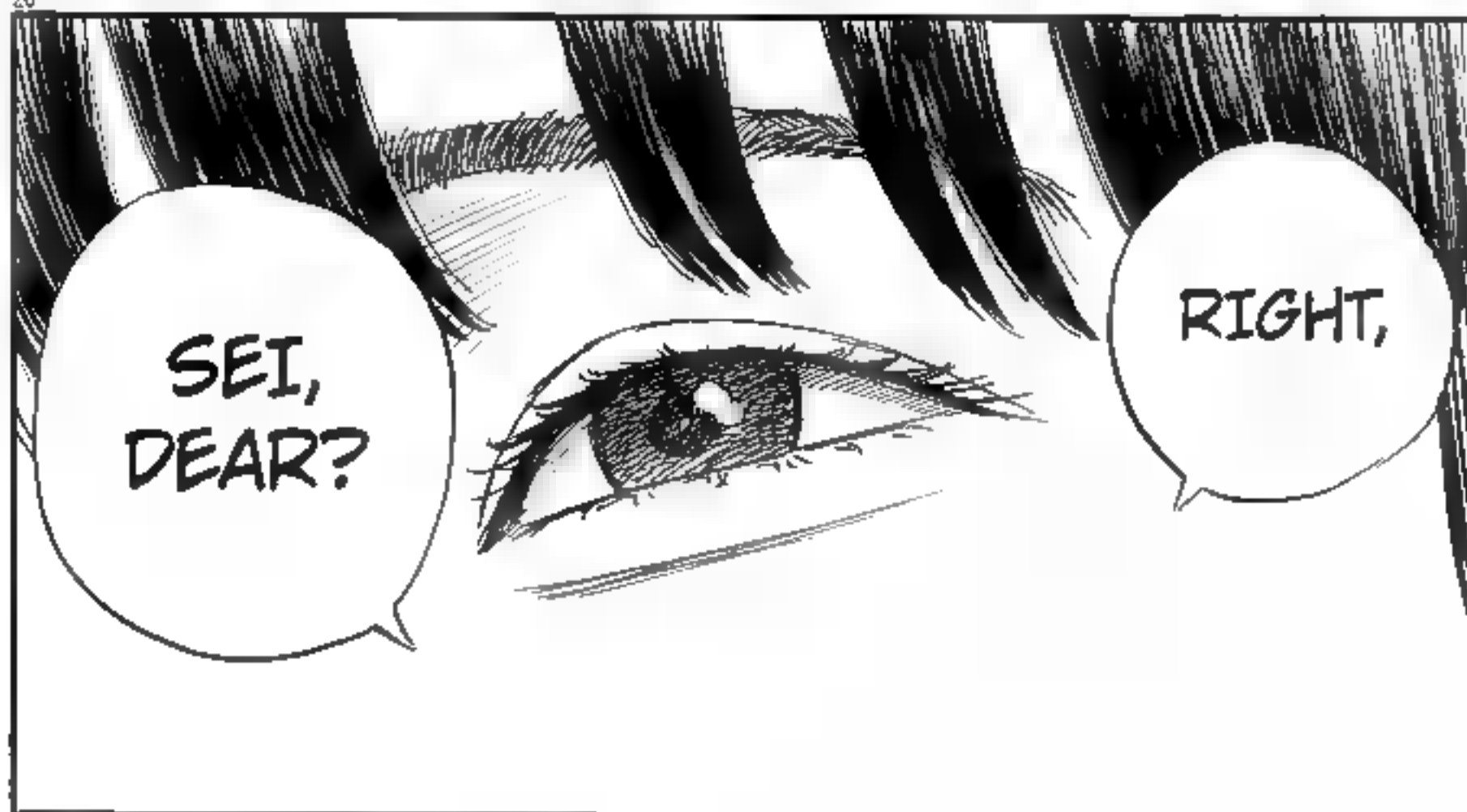




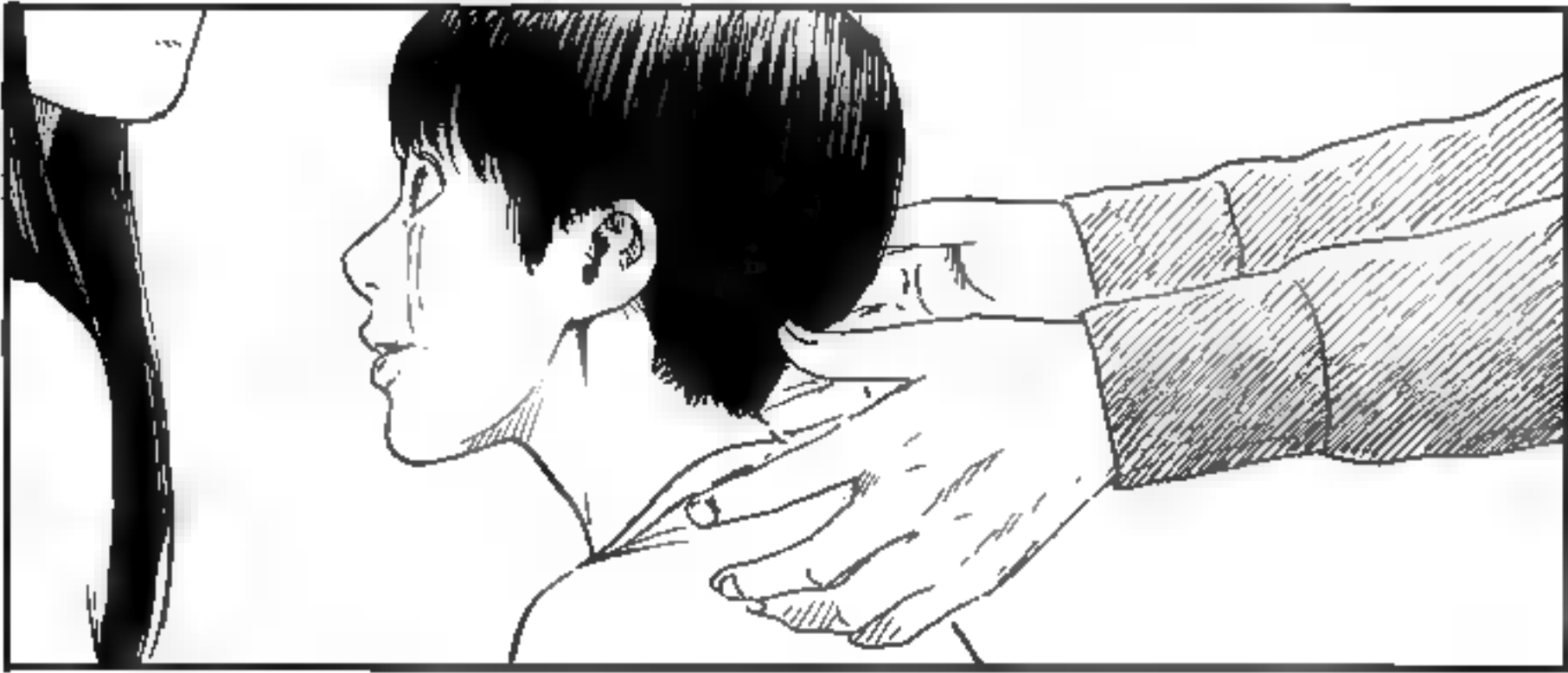


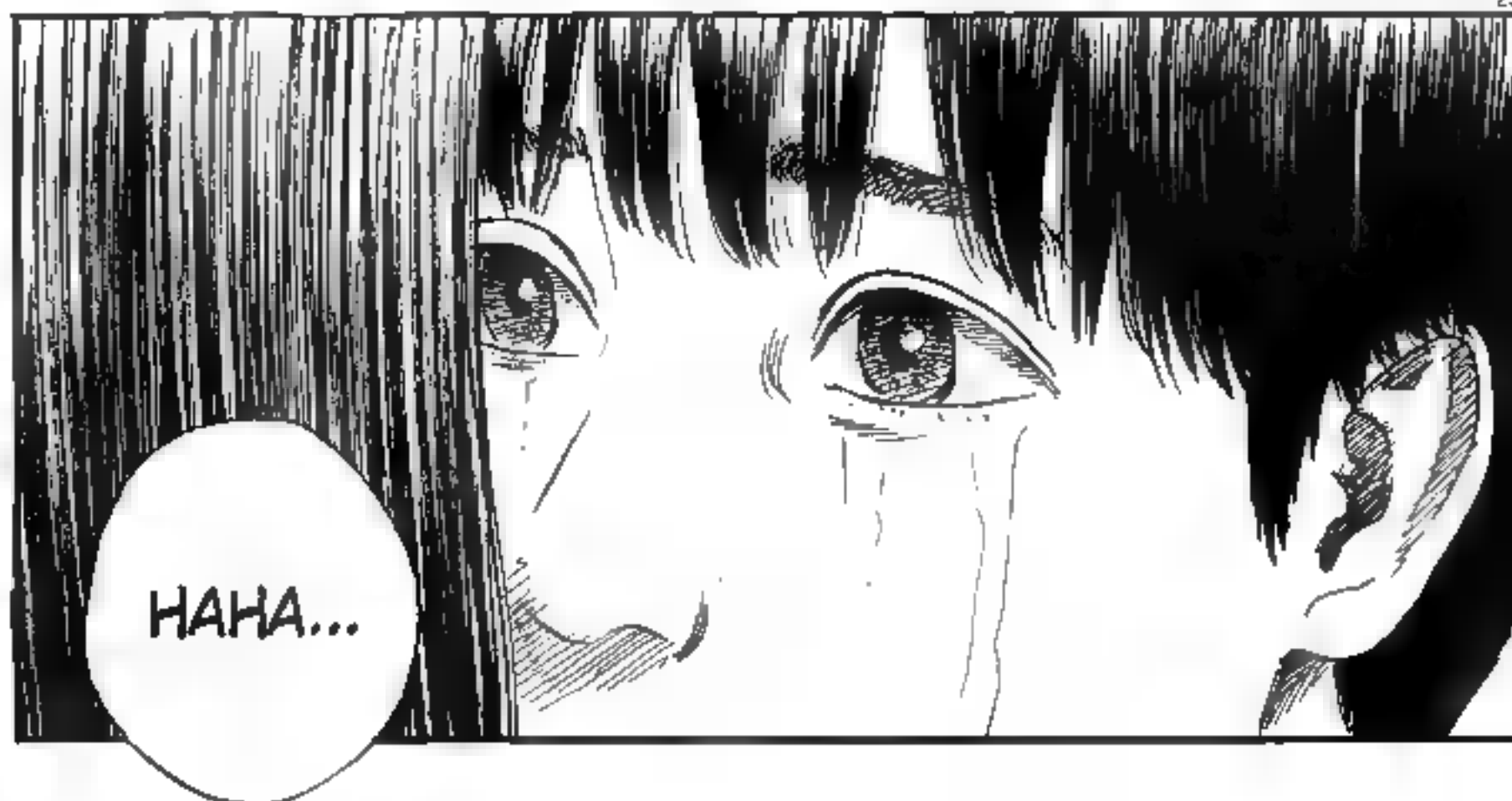
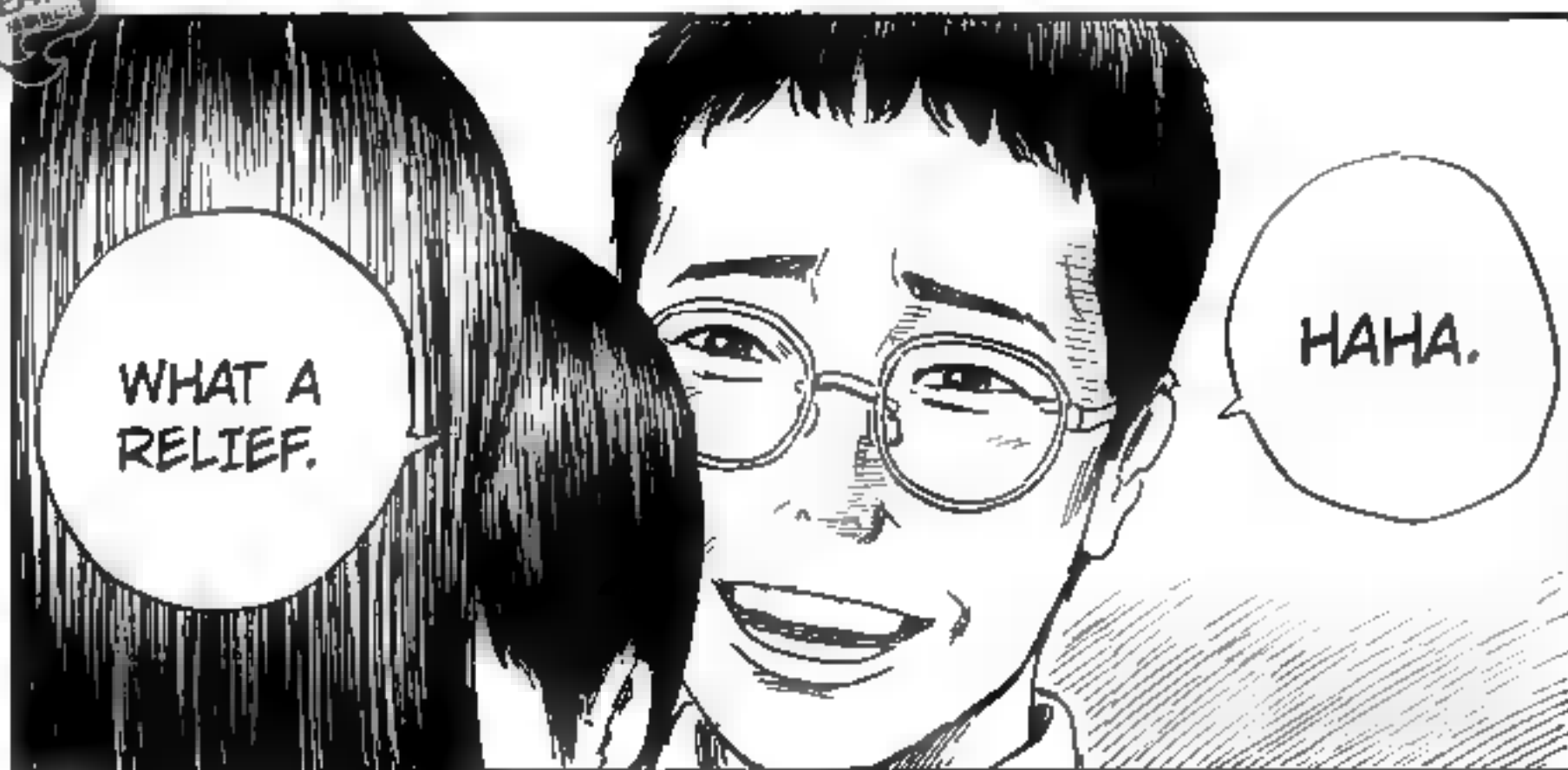












HAHA...

HIS HOLLOW LAUGHTER ECHOES THROUGH THE EMPTY HOUSE...
WHAT WOULD SHIGERU'S AWAKENING BRING UPON THIS HOUSEHOLD?

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THE DEAD CANNOT TELL TALES... BUT THE LIVING CERTAINLY CAN. WHAT DOES SURGERY'S RETURN FROM DEATH MEAN FOR SURGERY AND HIS MOTHER?

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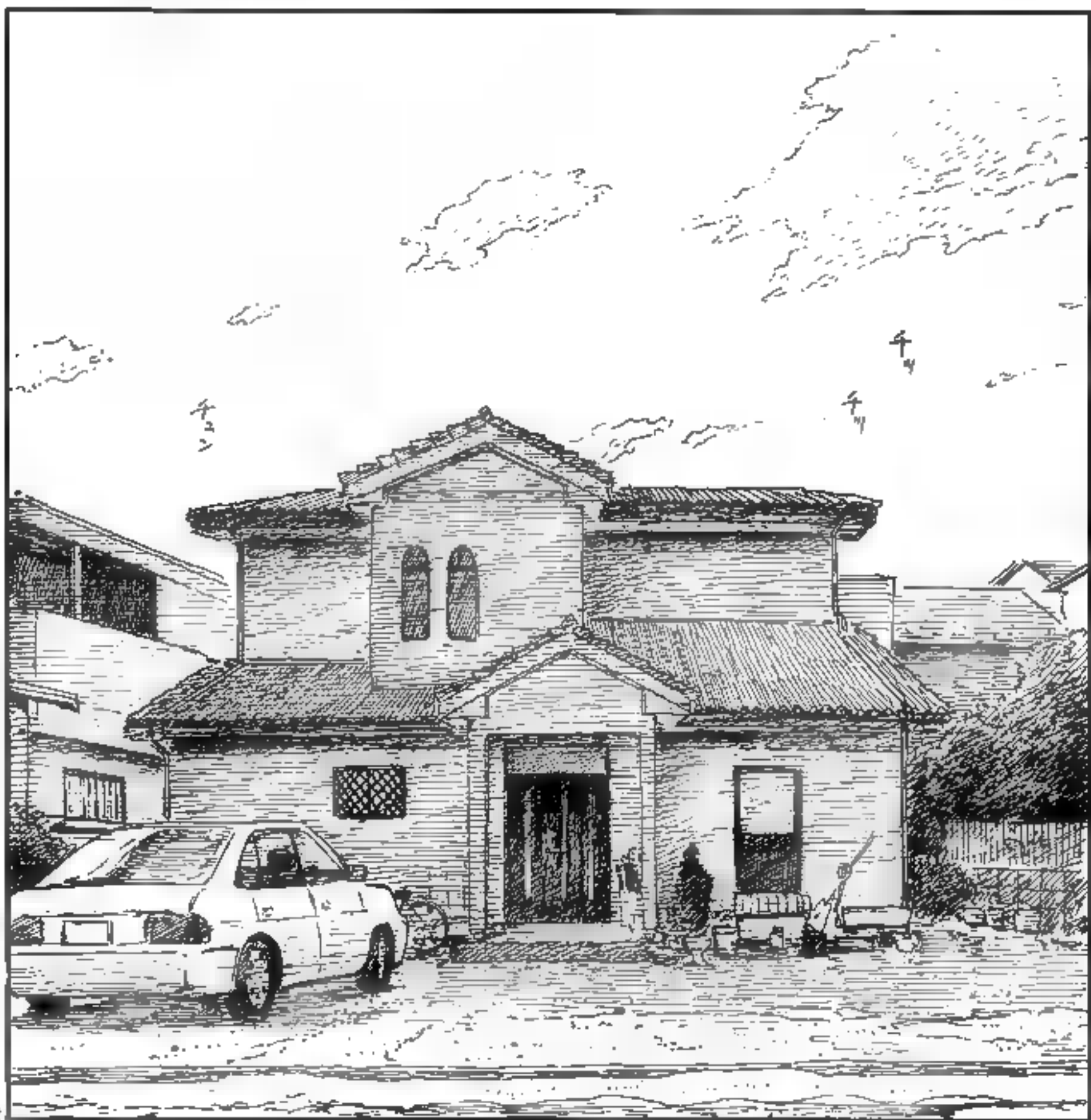
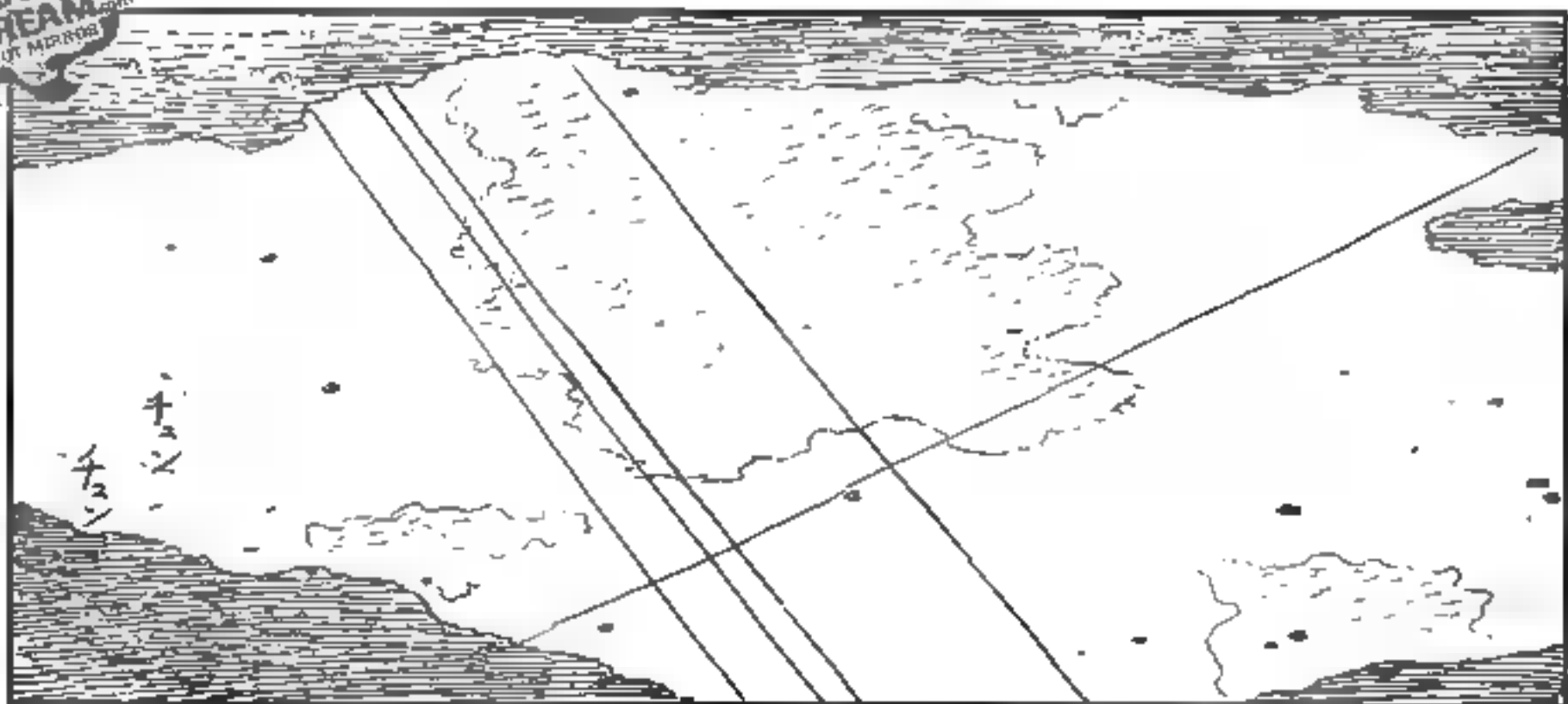
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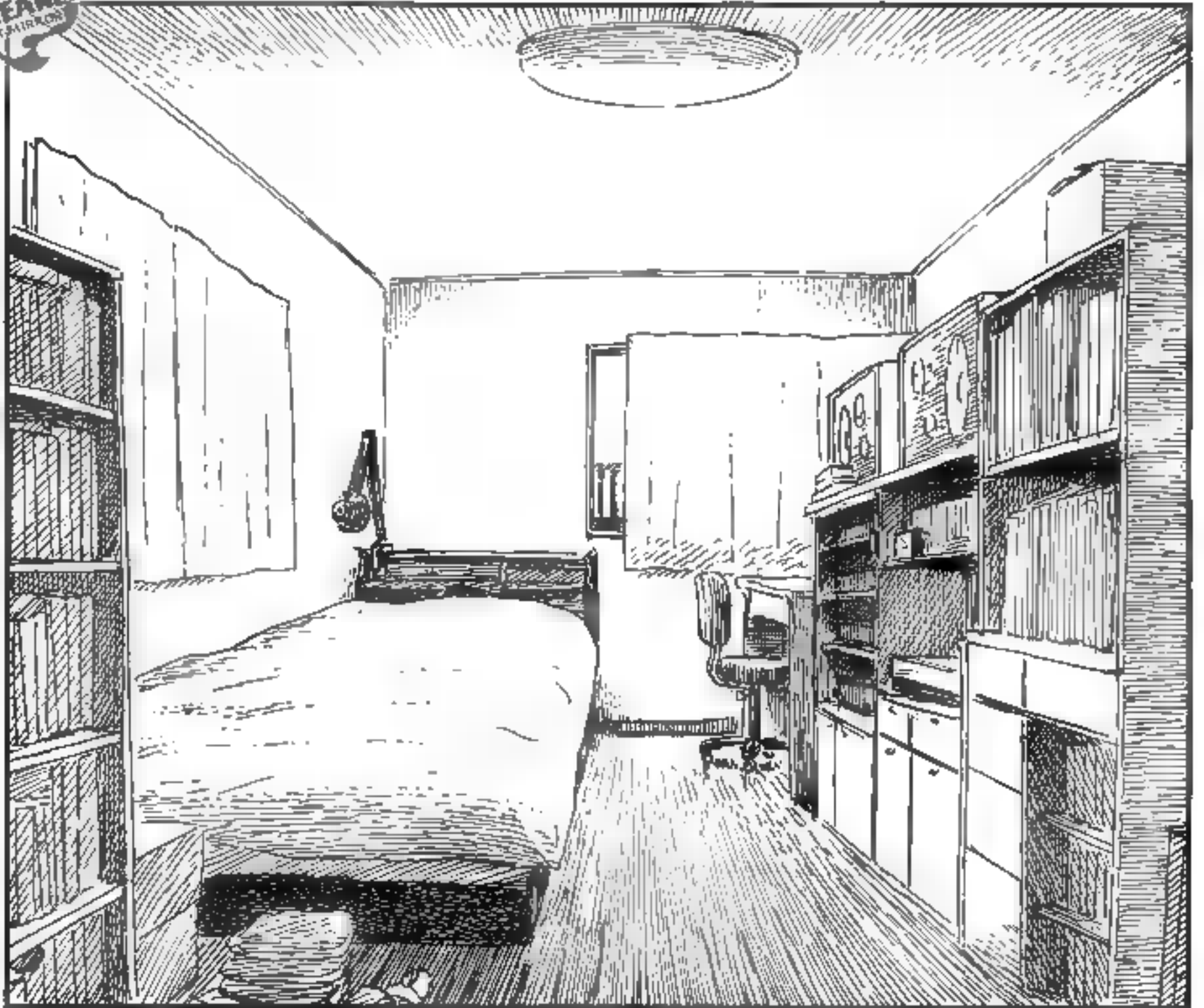
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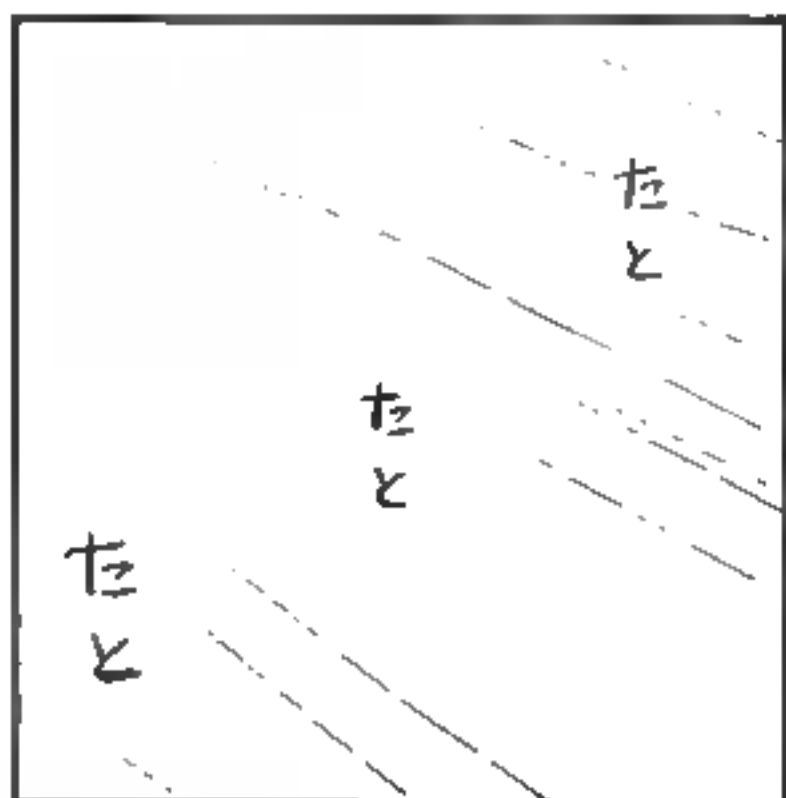
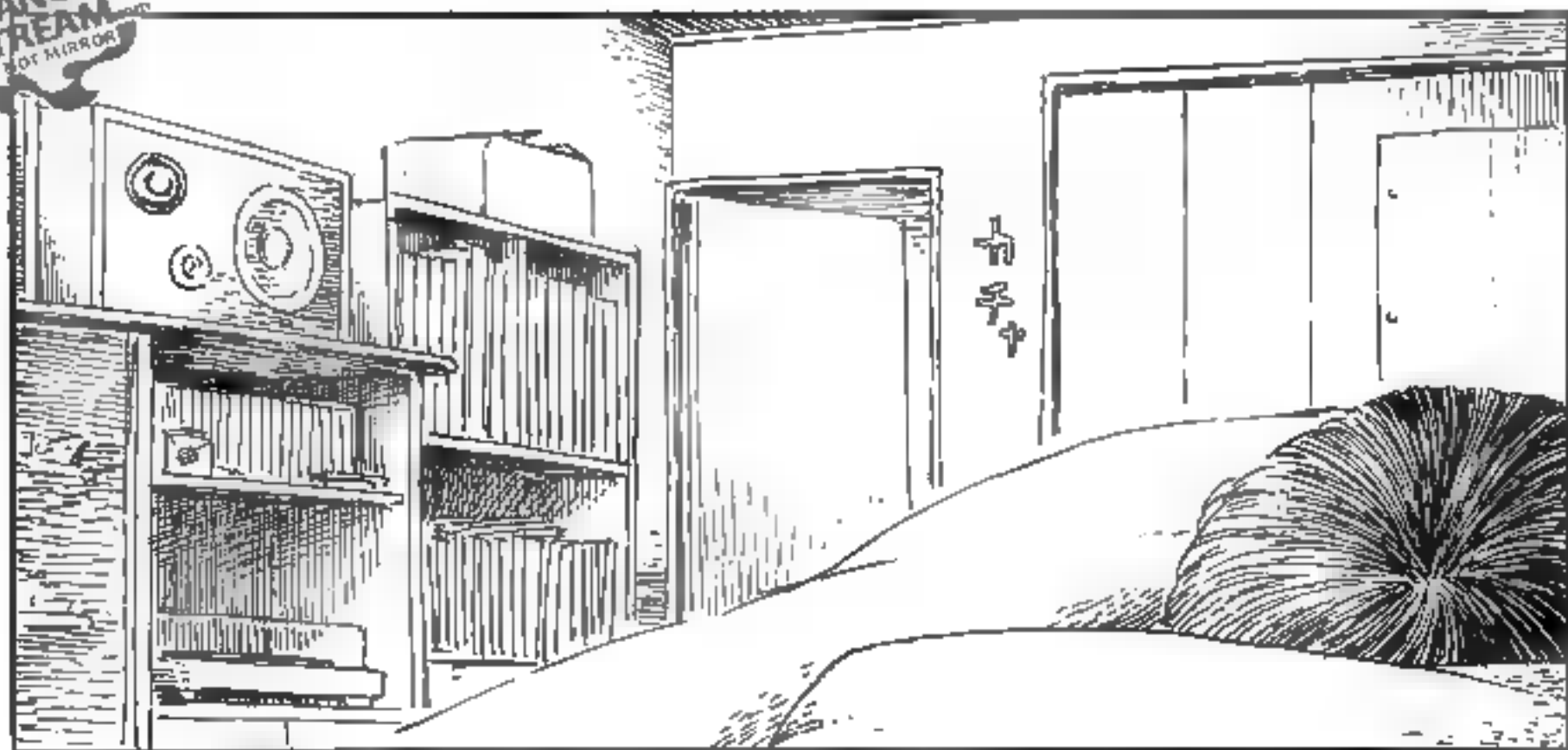
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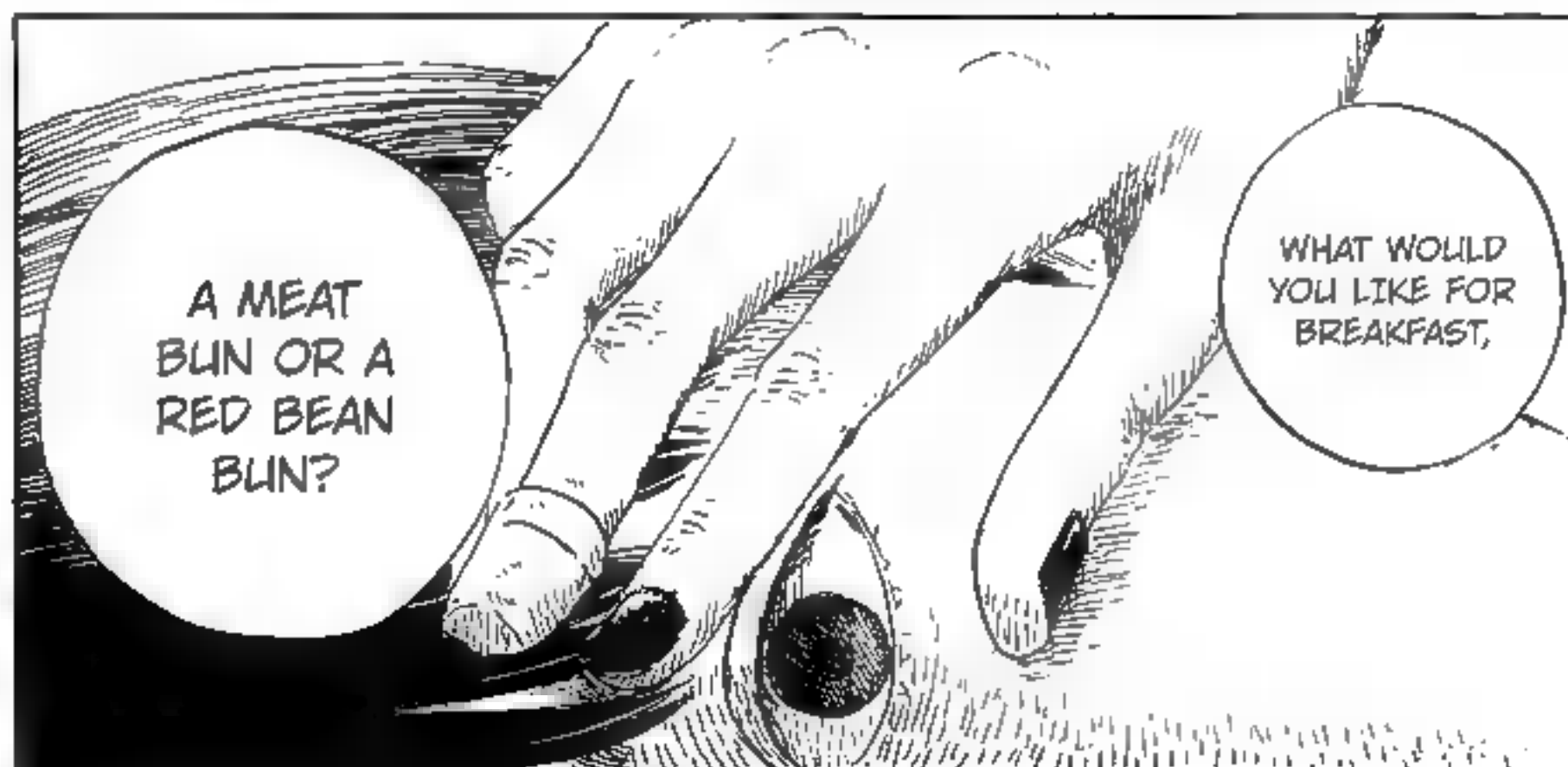
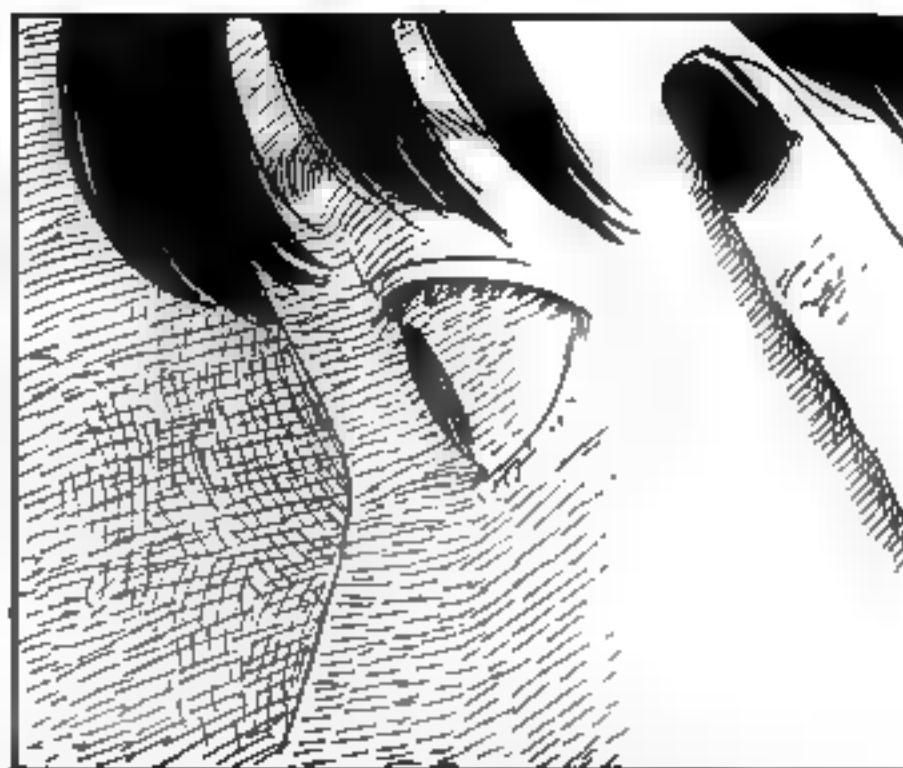
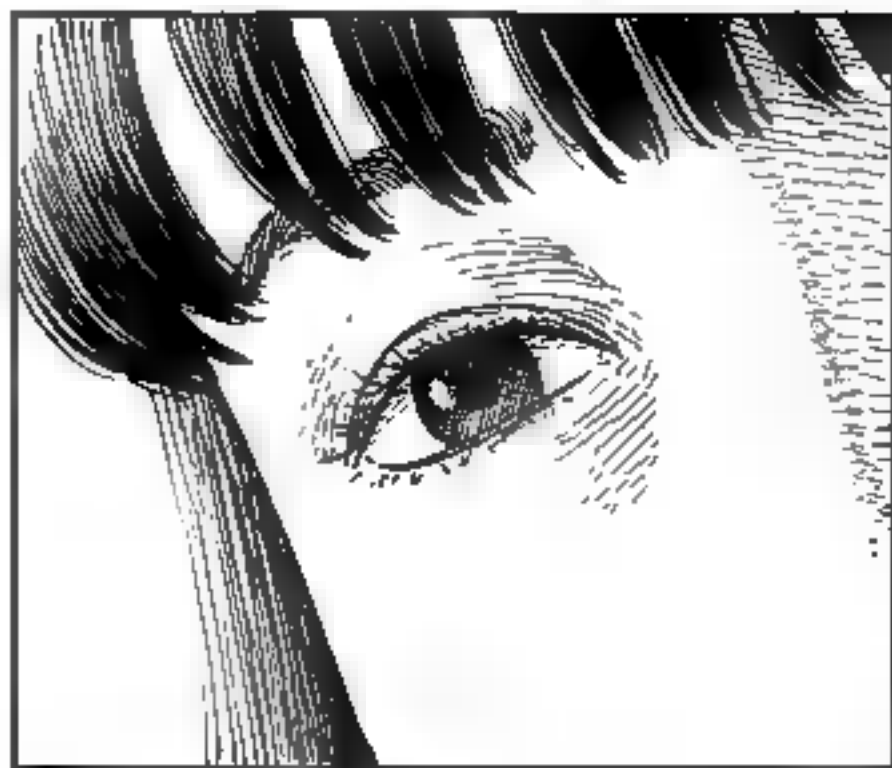


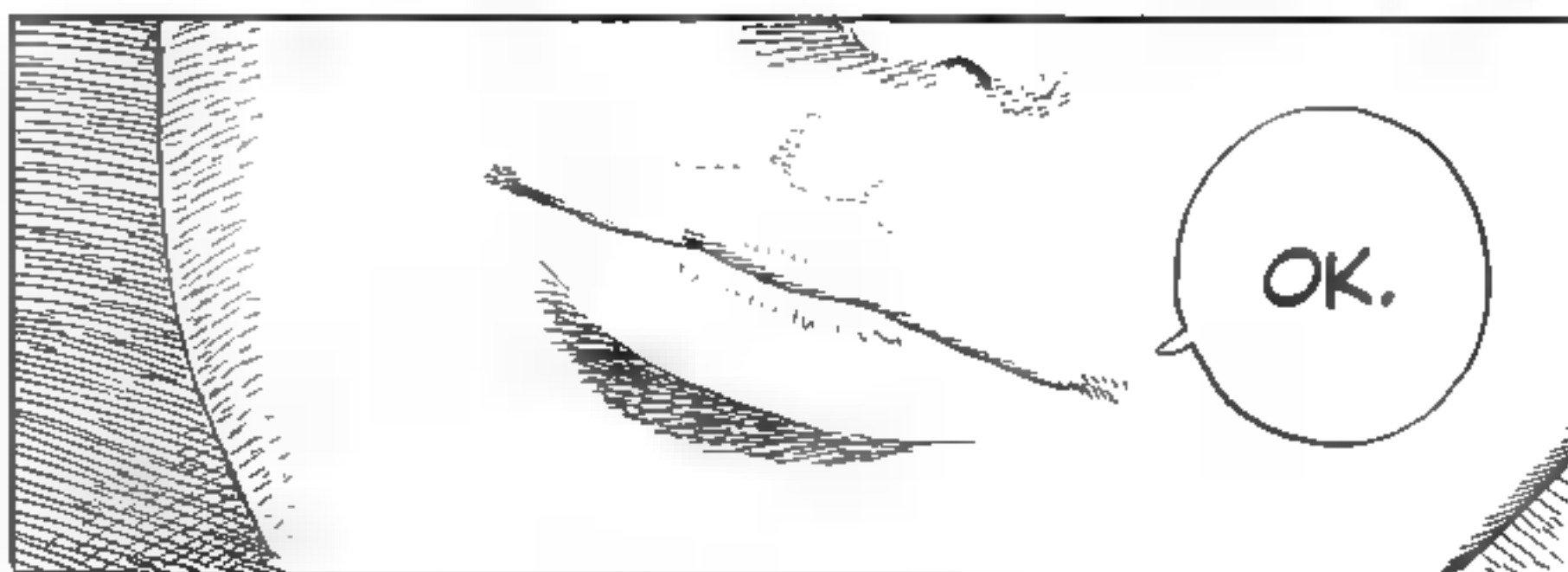
SHIGERU, WHOM SEIKO PUSHED OFF A CLIFF, JUST REGAINED CONSCIOUSNESS. THE NEXT DAY, THE MORNING IS CALM AND PEACEFUL... IS IT JUST THE CALM BEFORE THE STORM?!

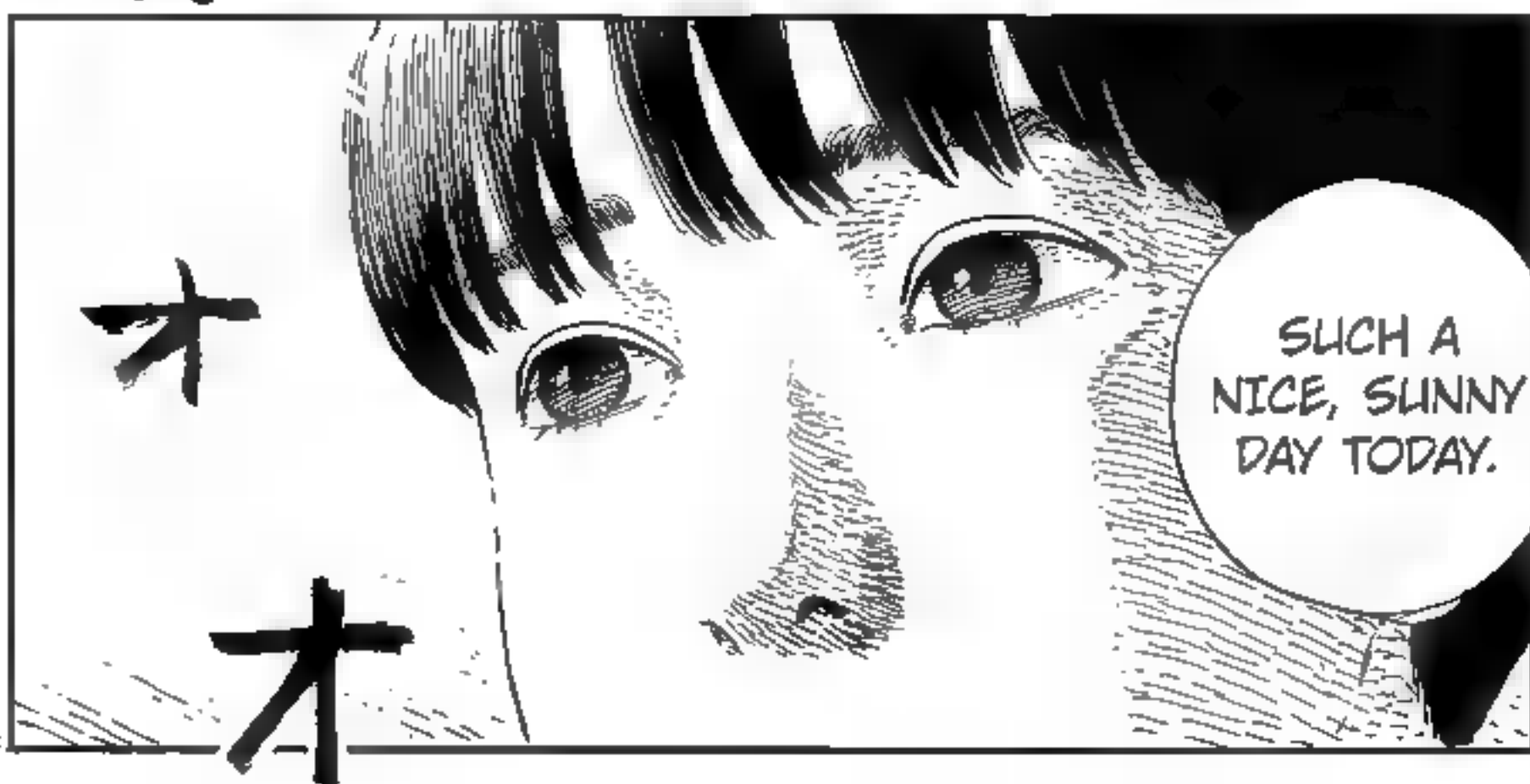
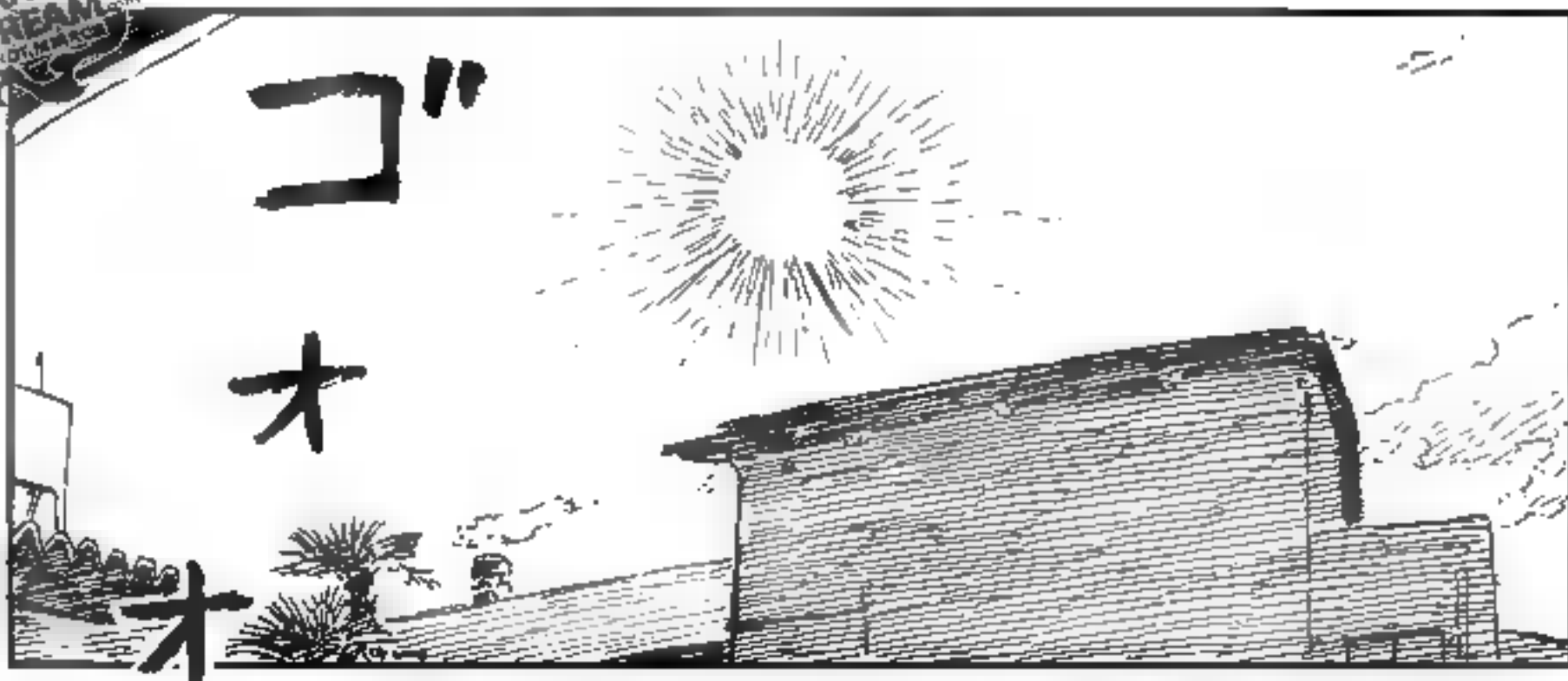


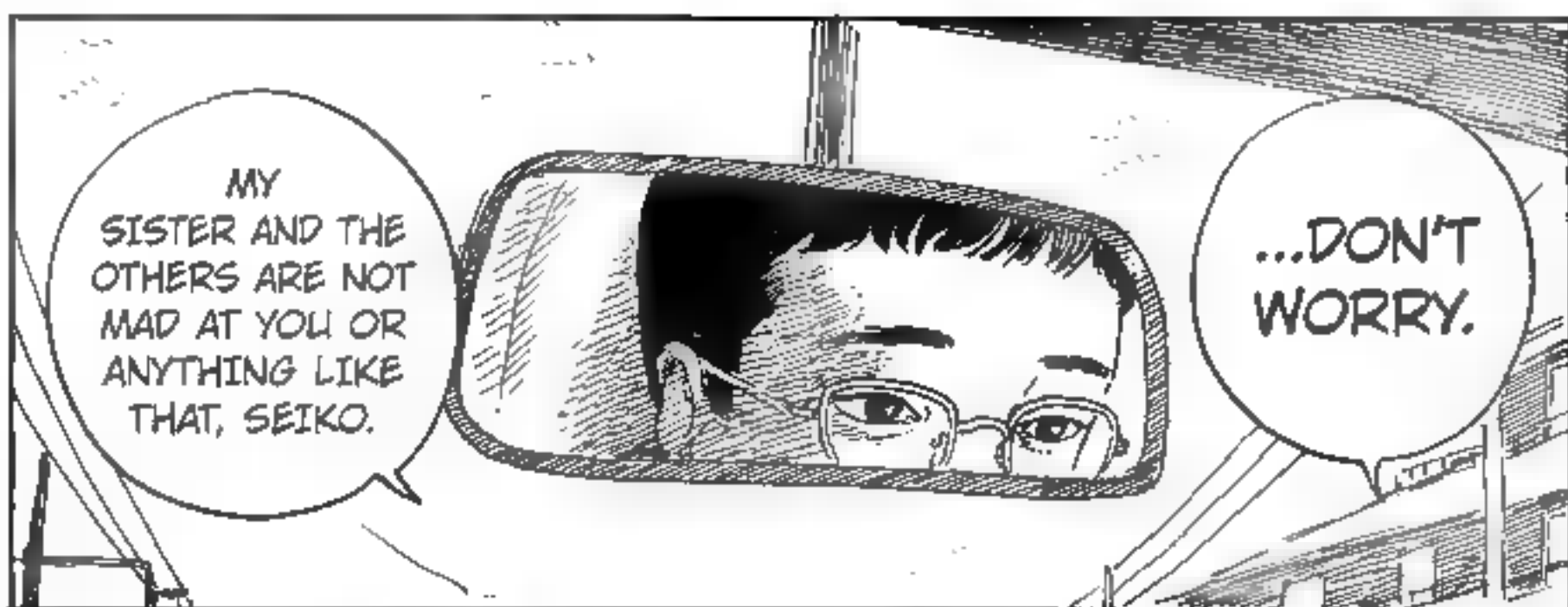


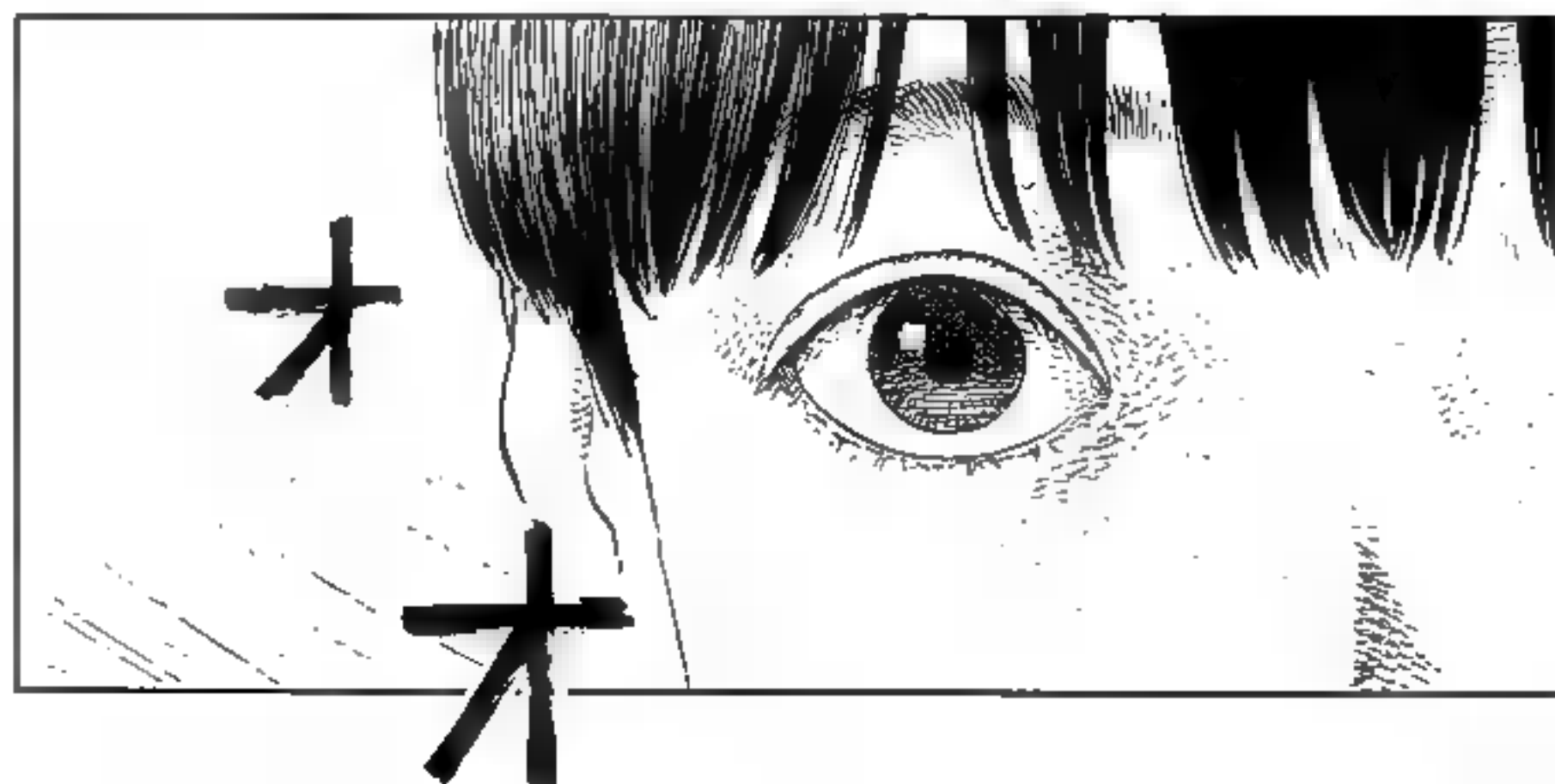
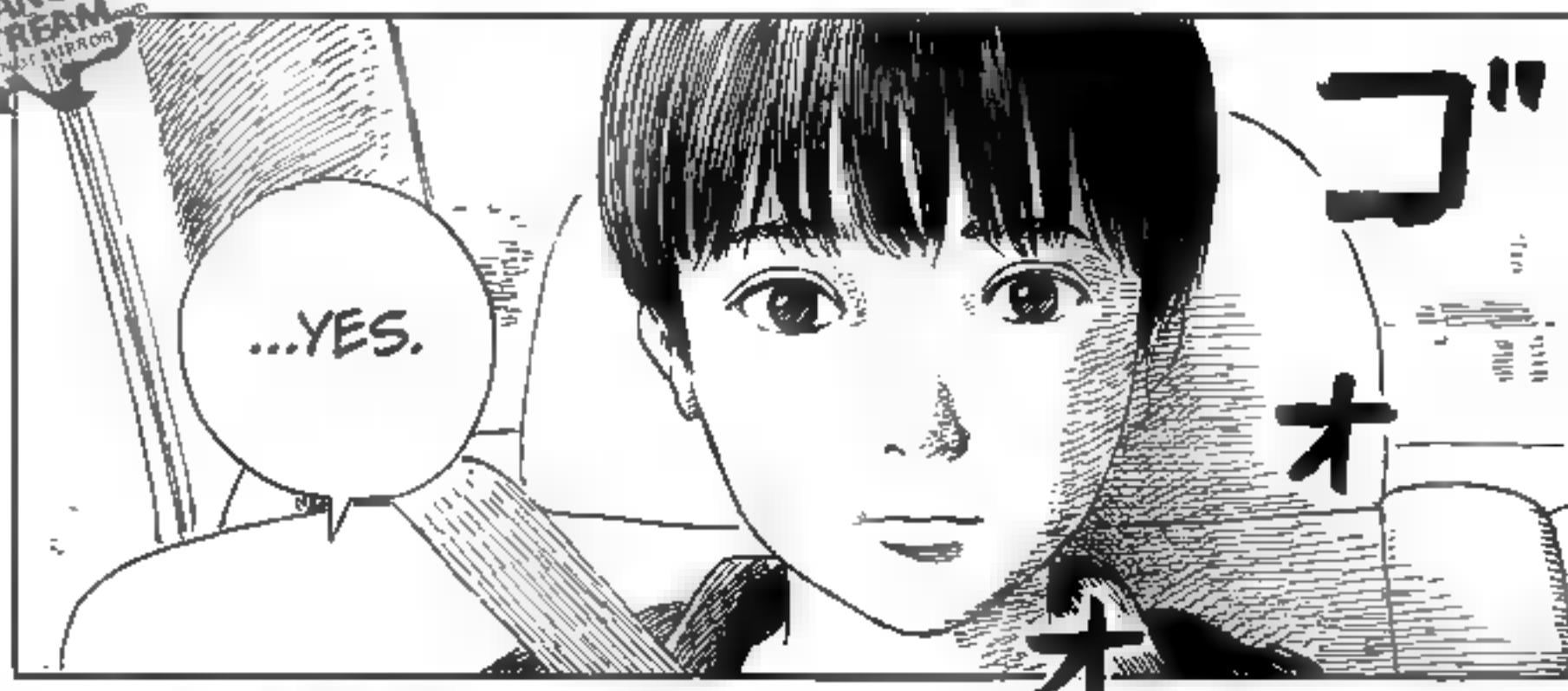


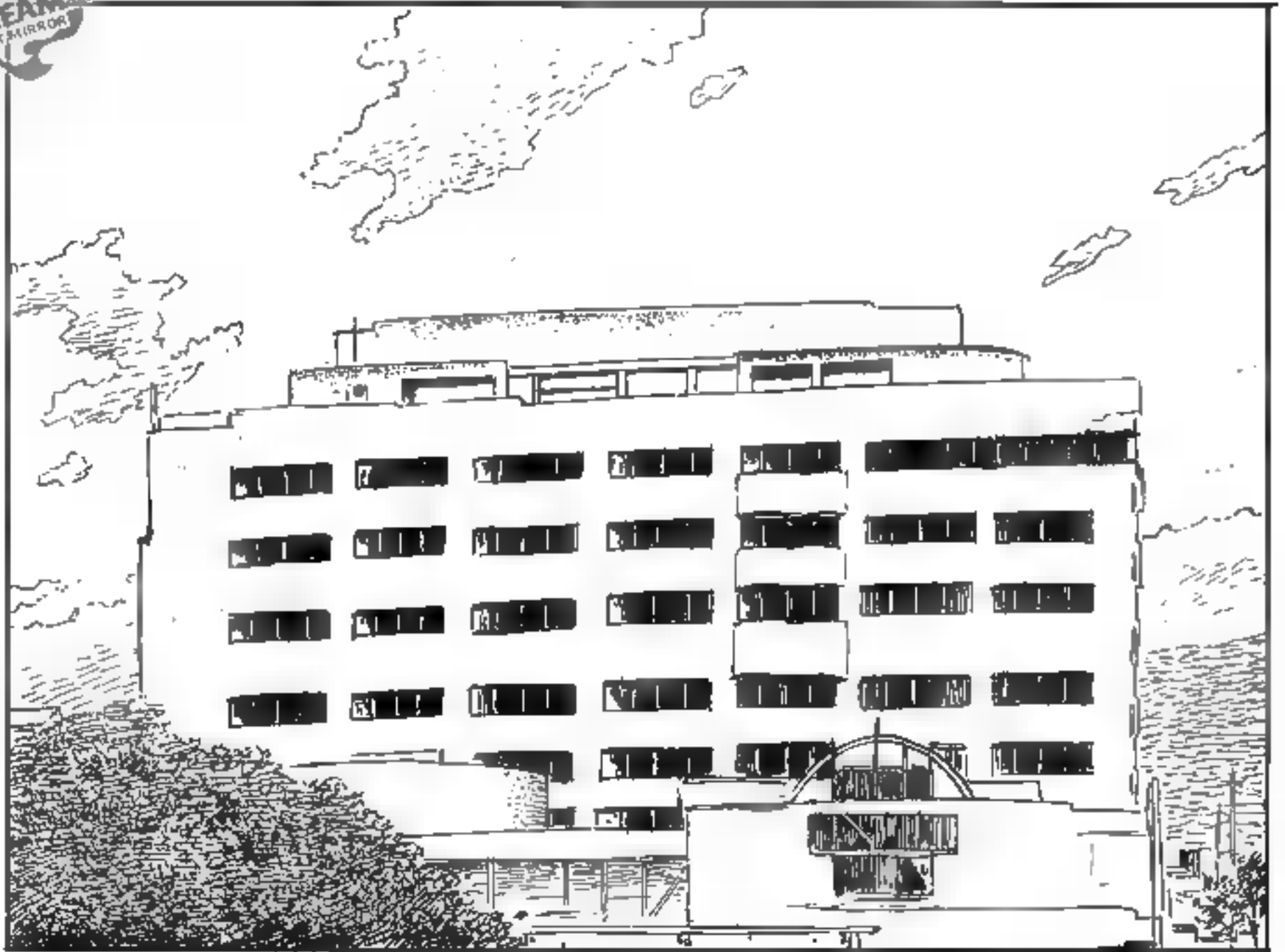


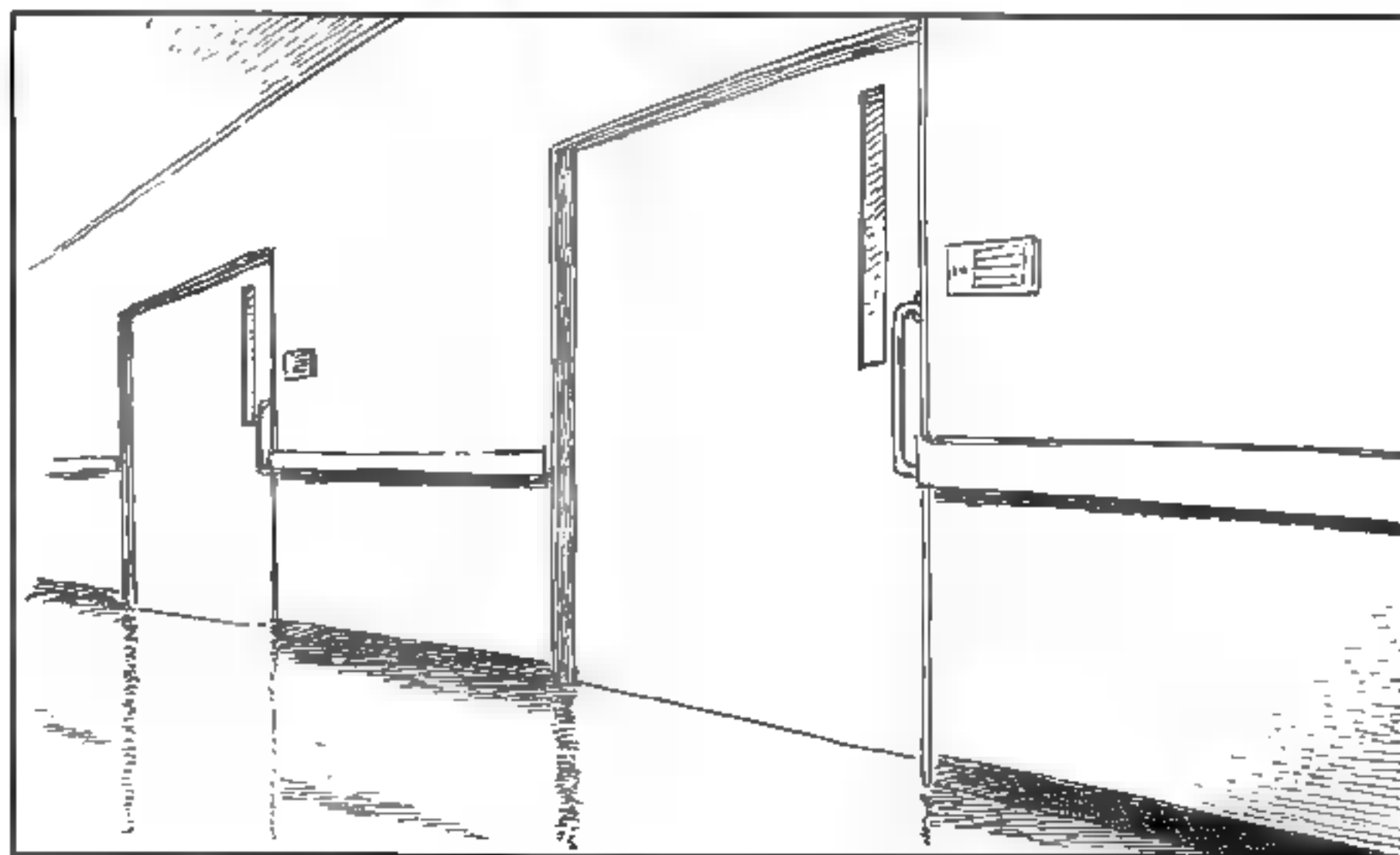
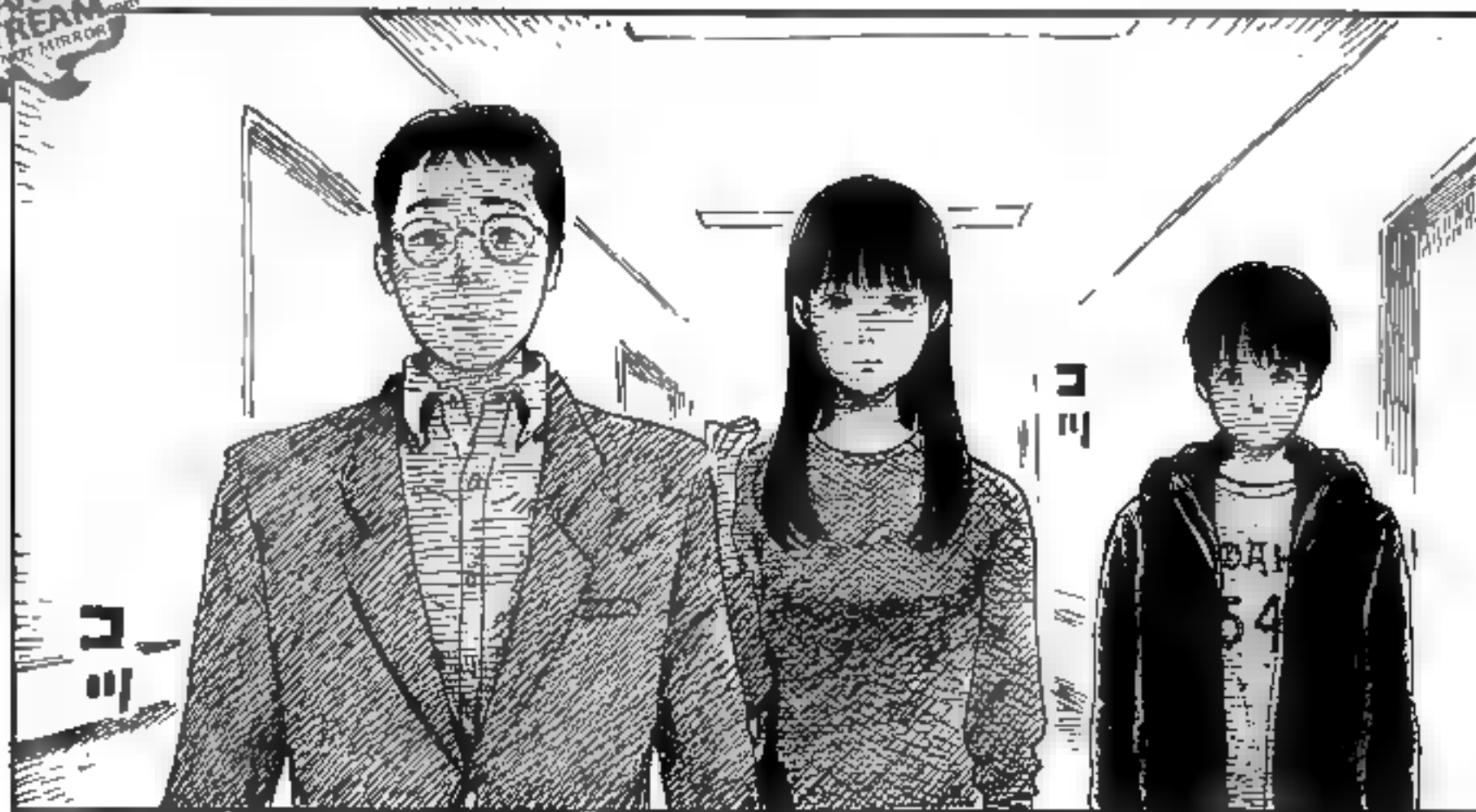


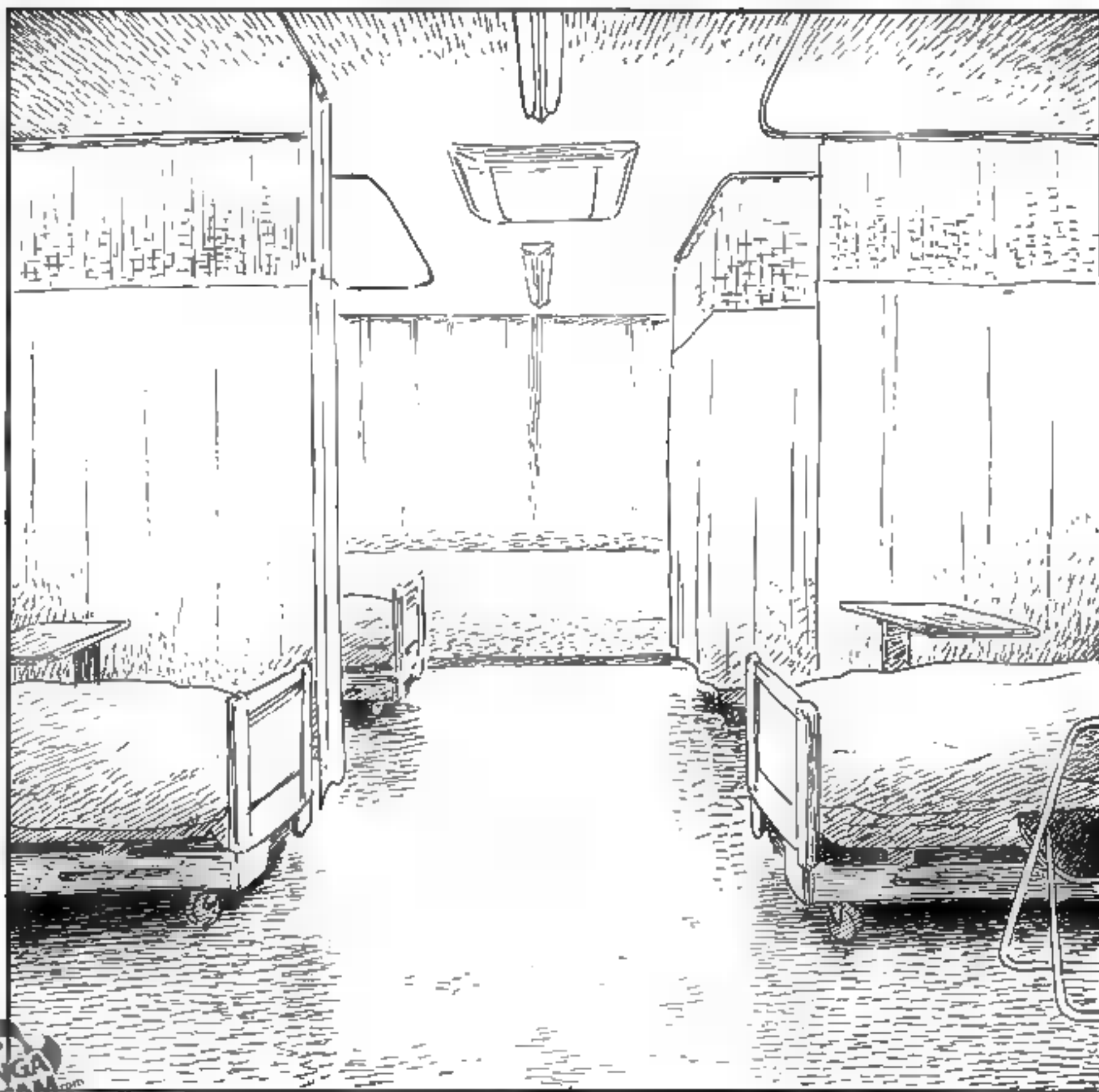
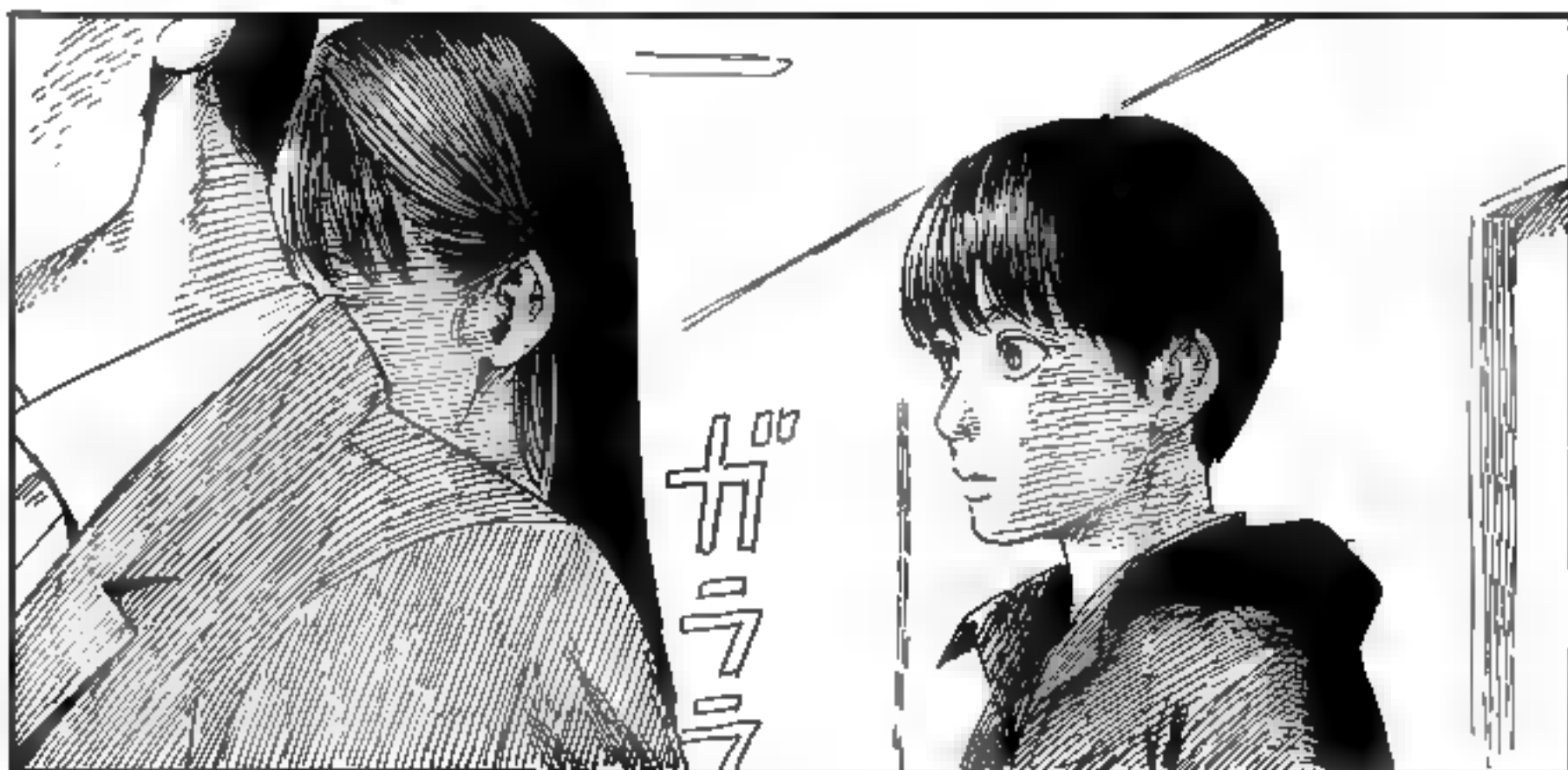




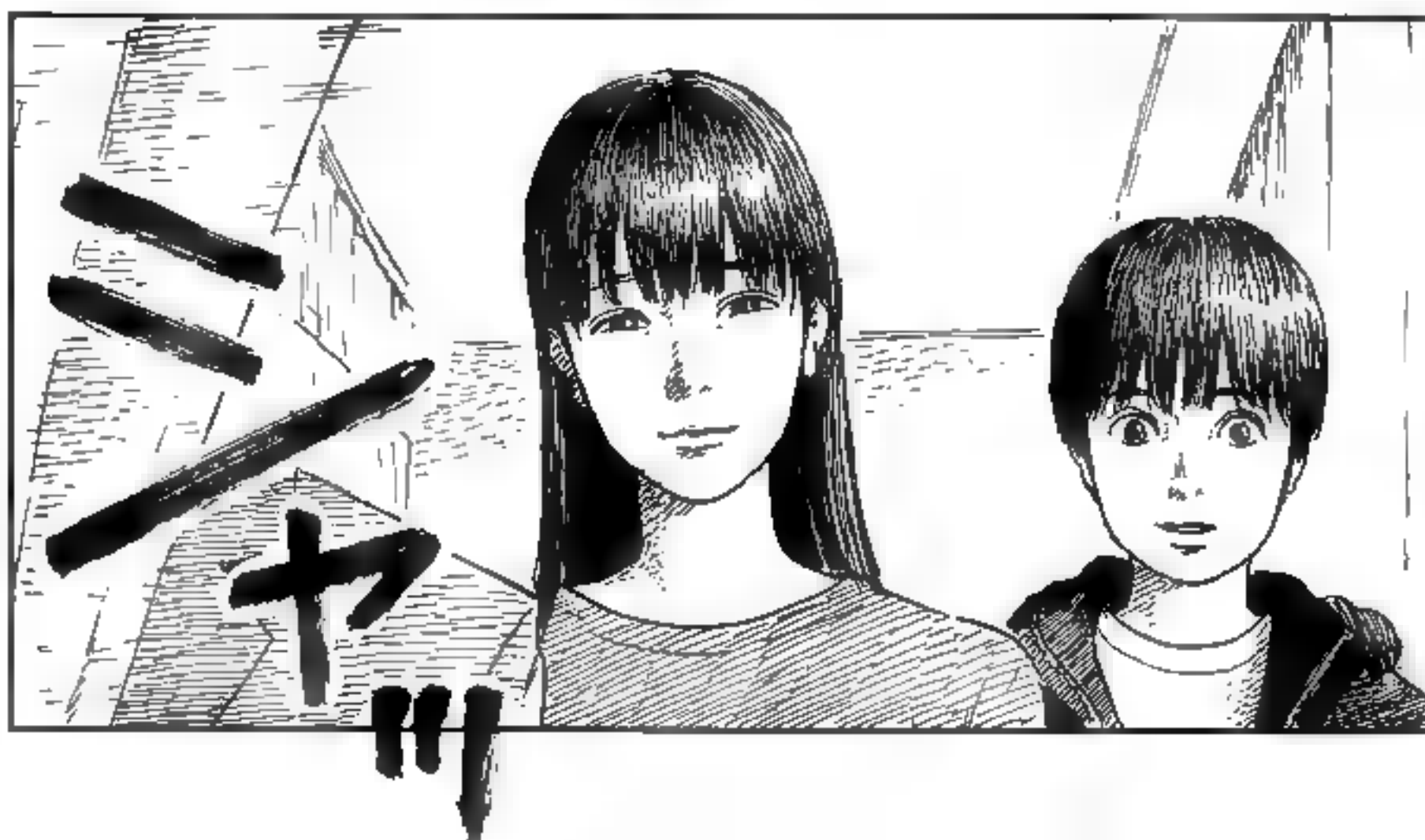
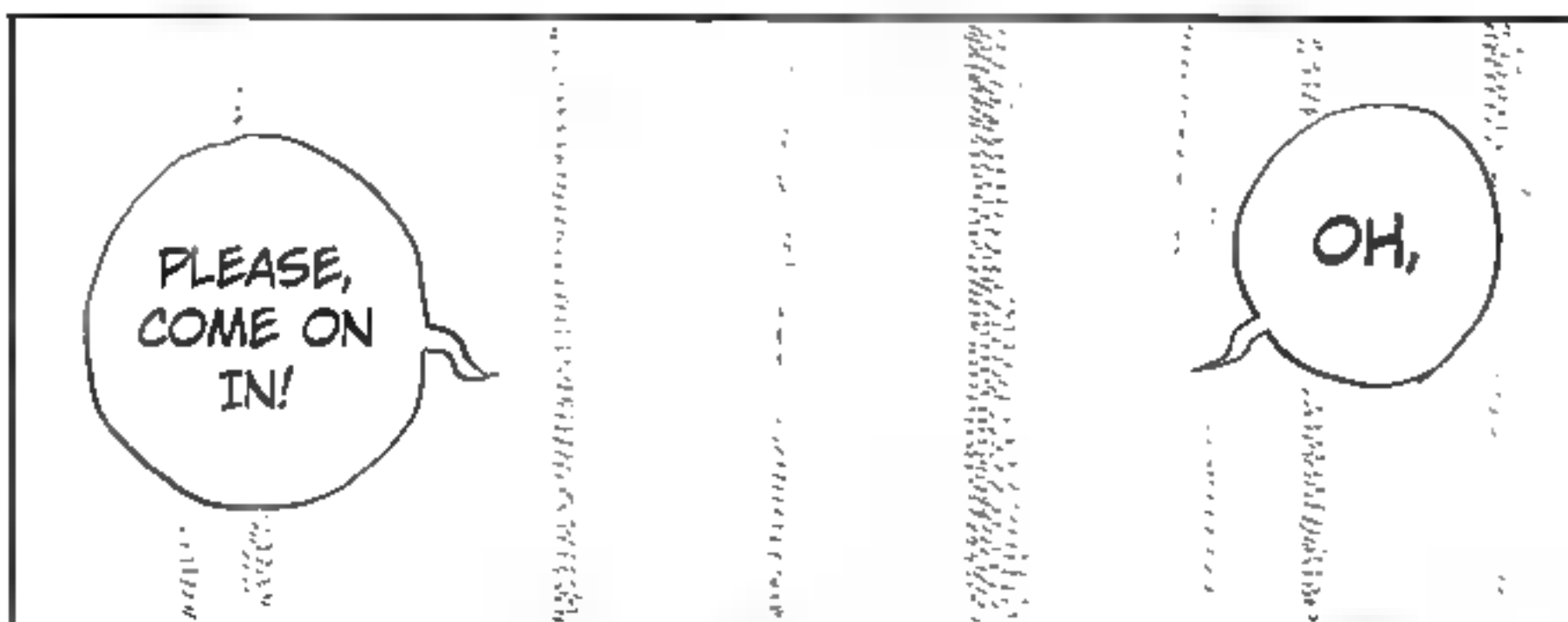
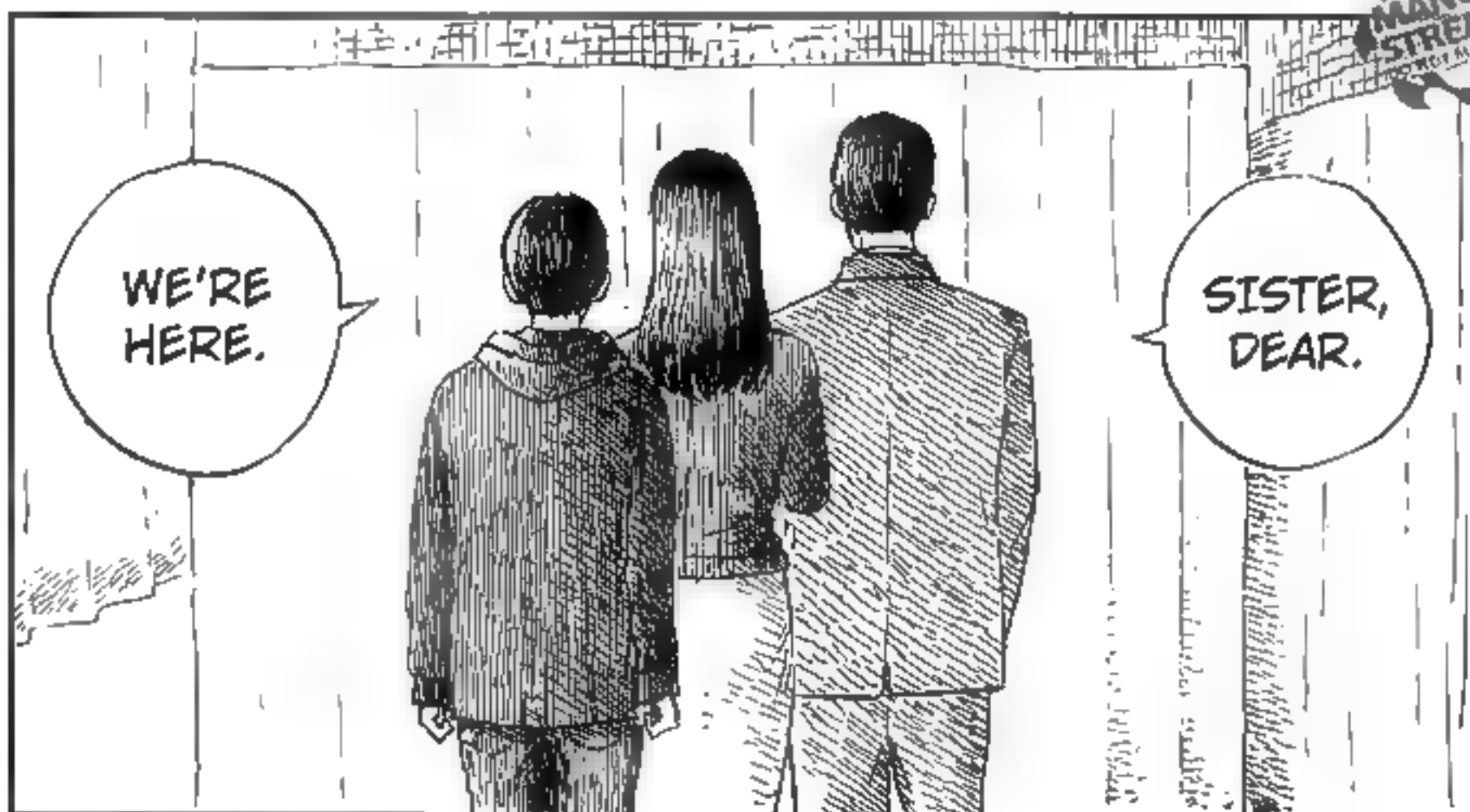






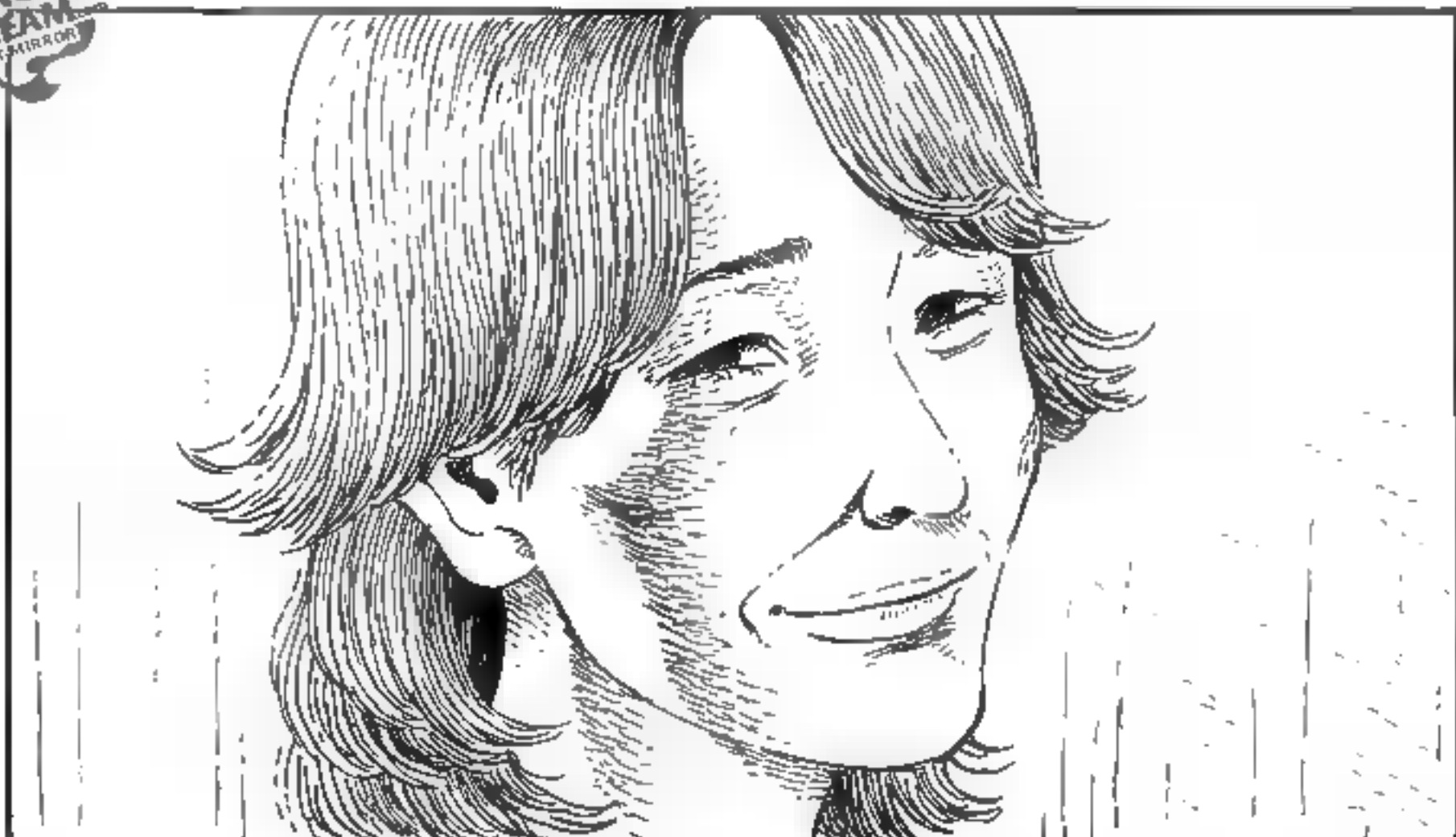






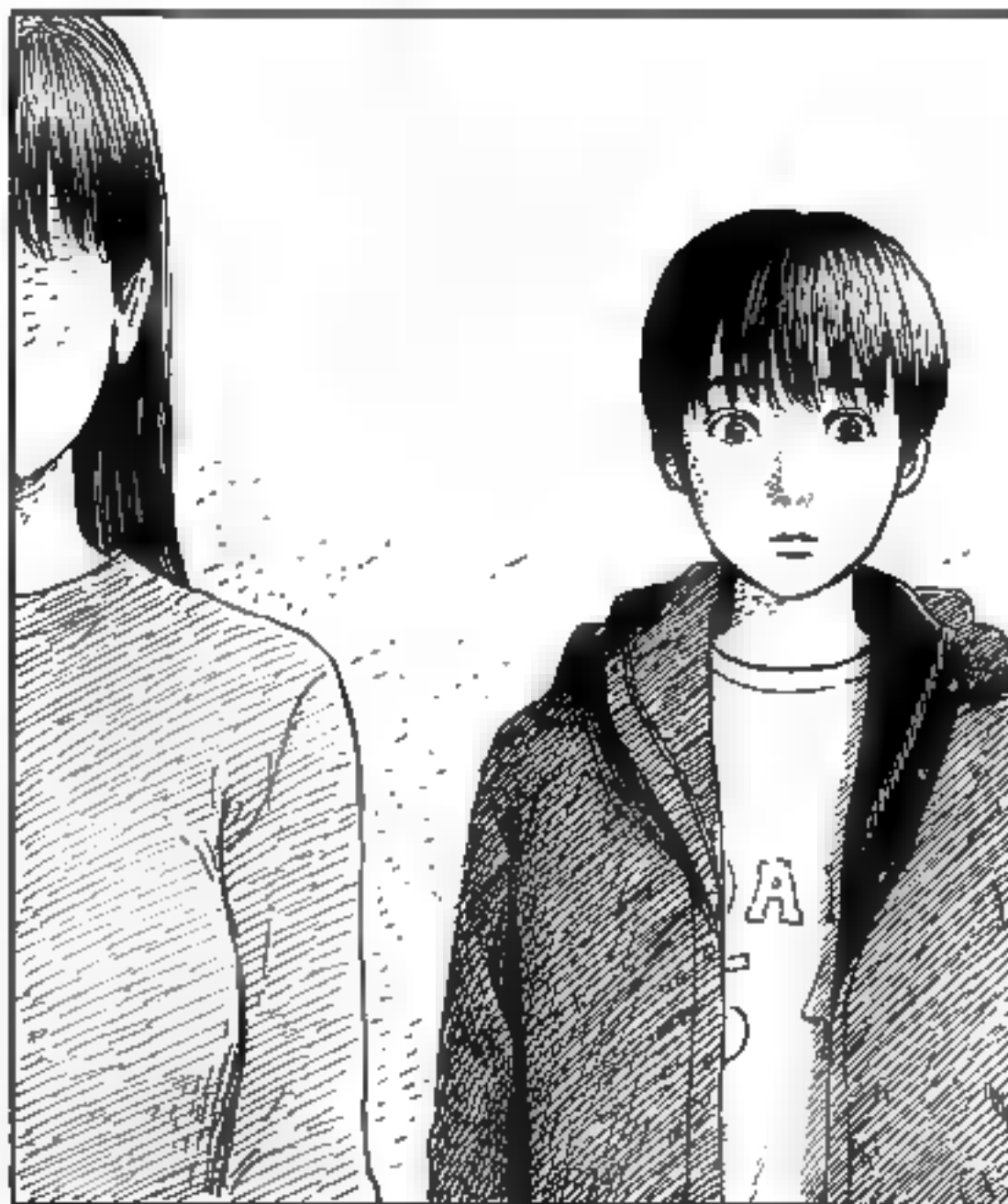
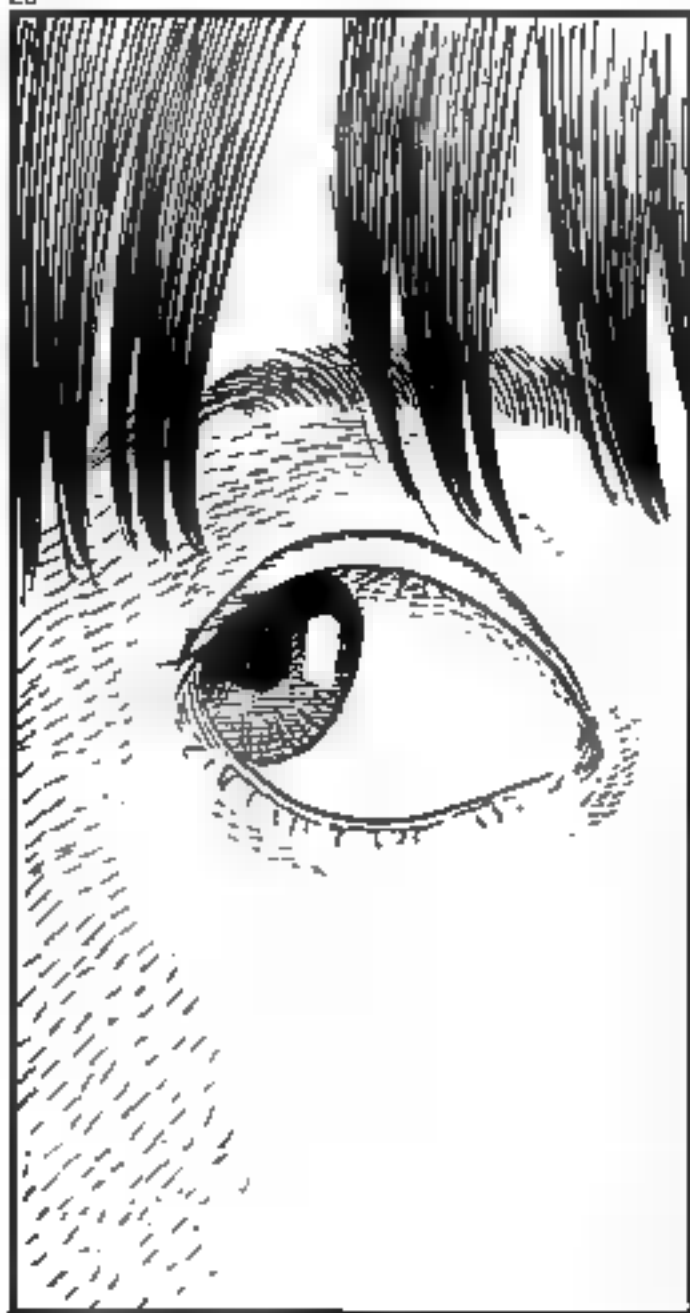


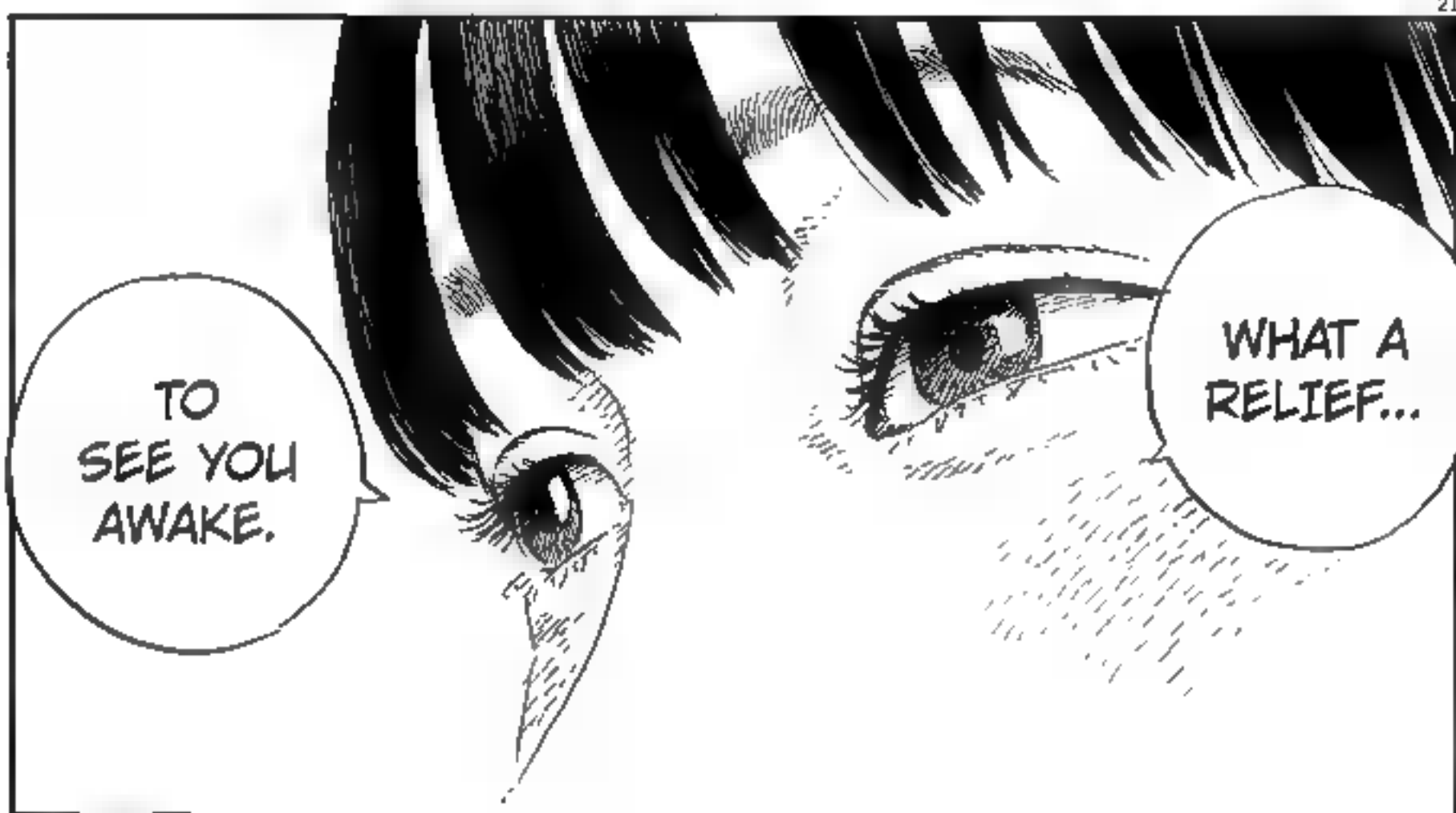


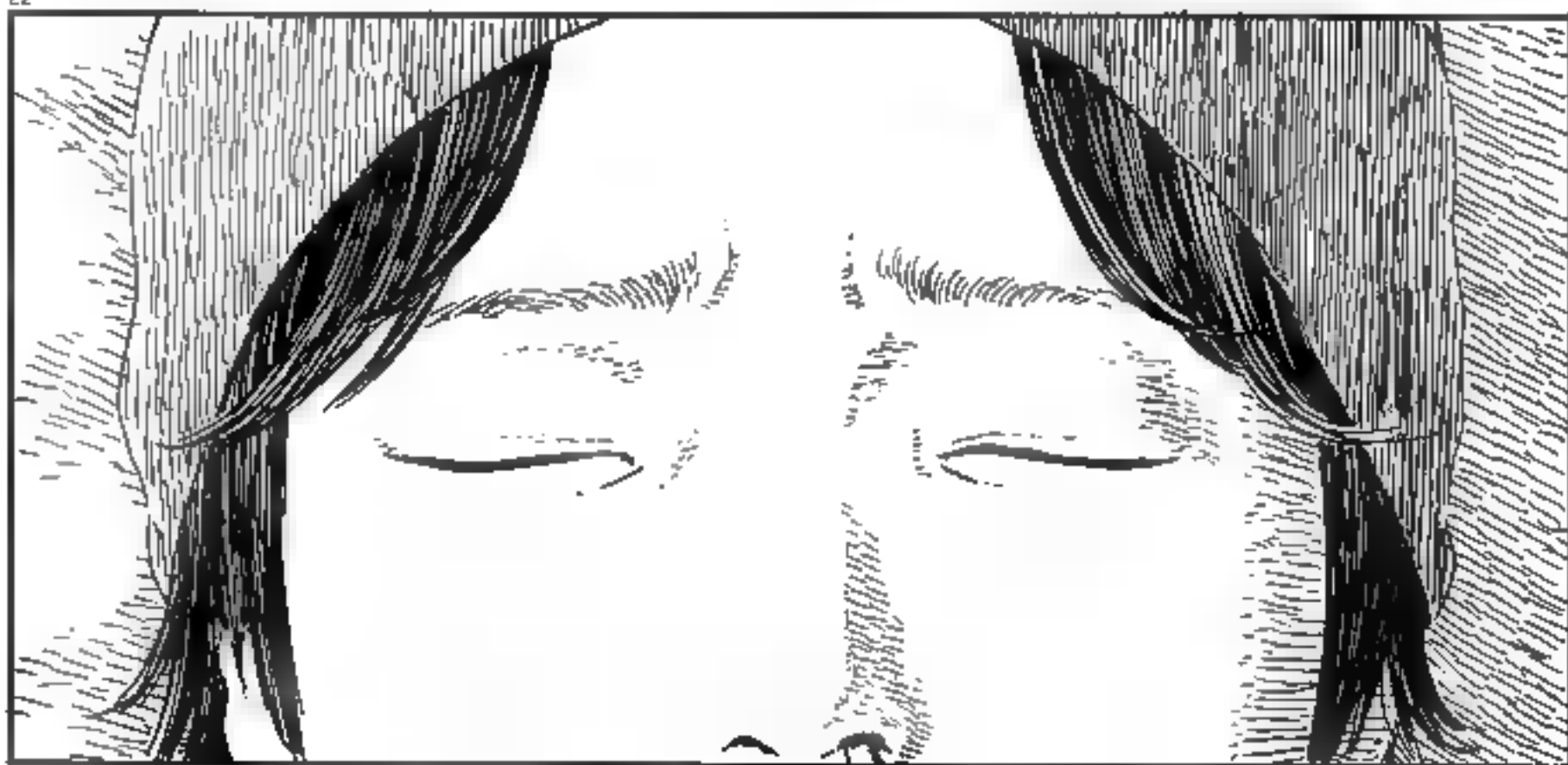
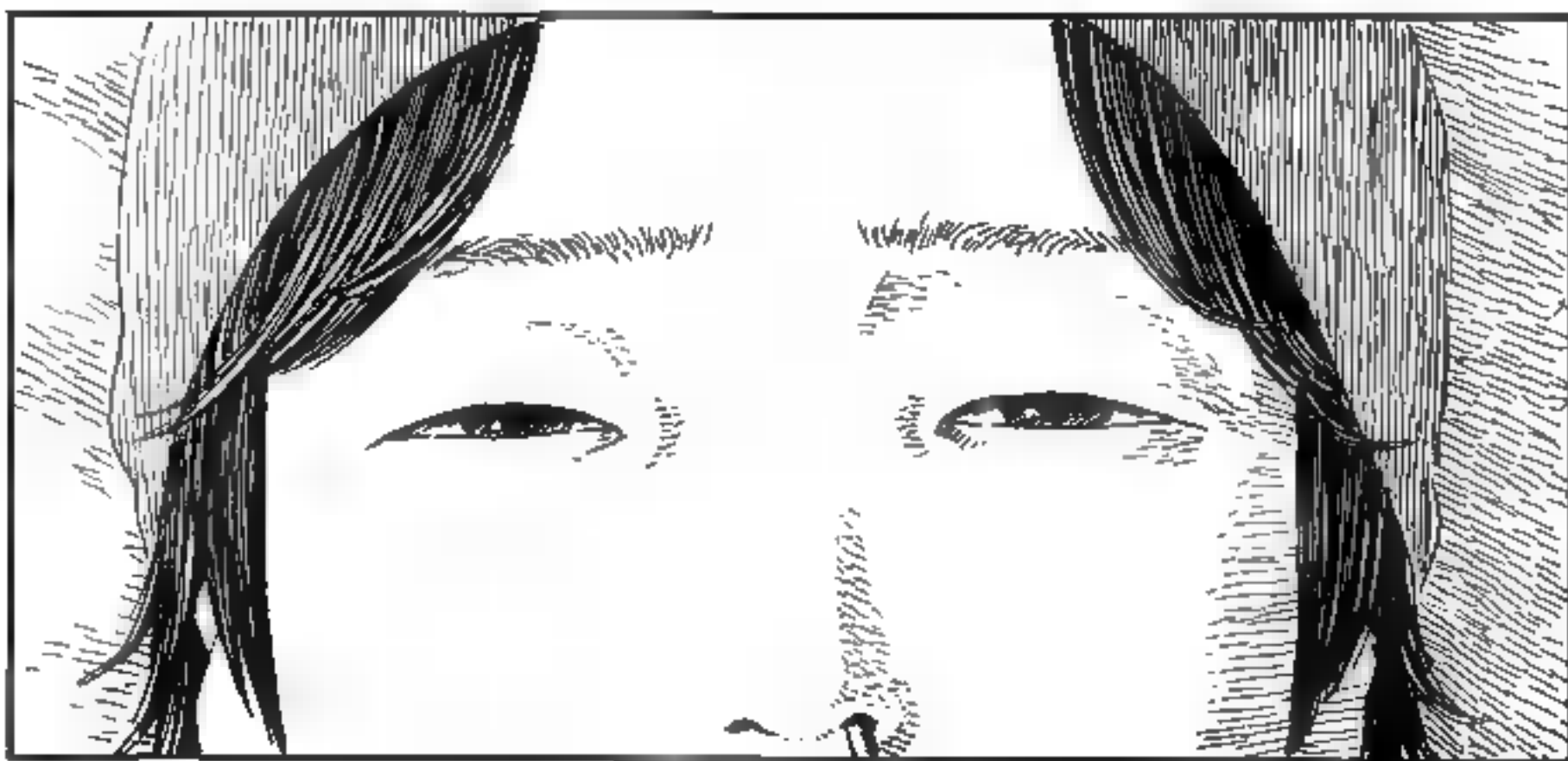


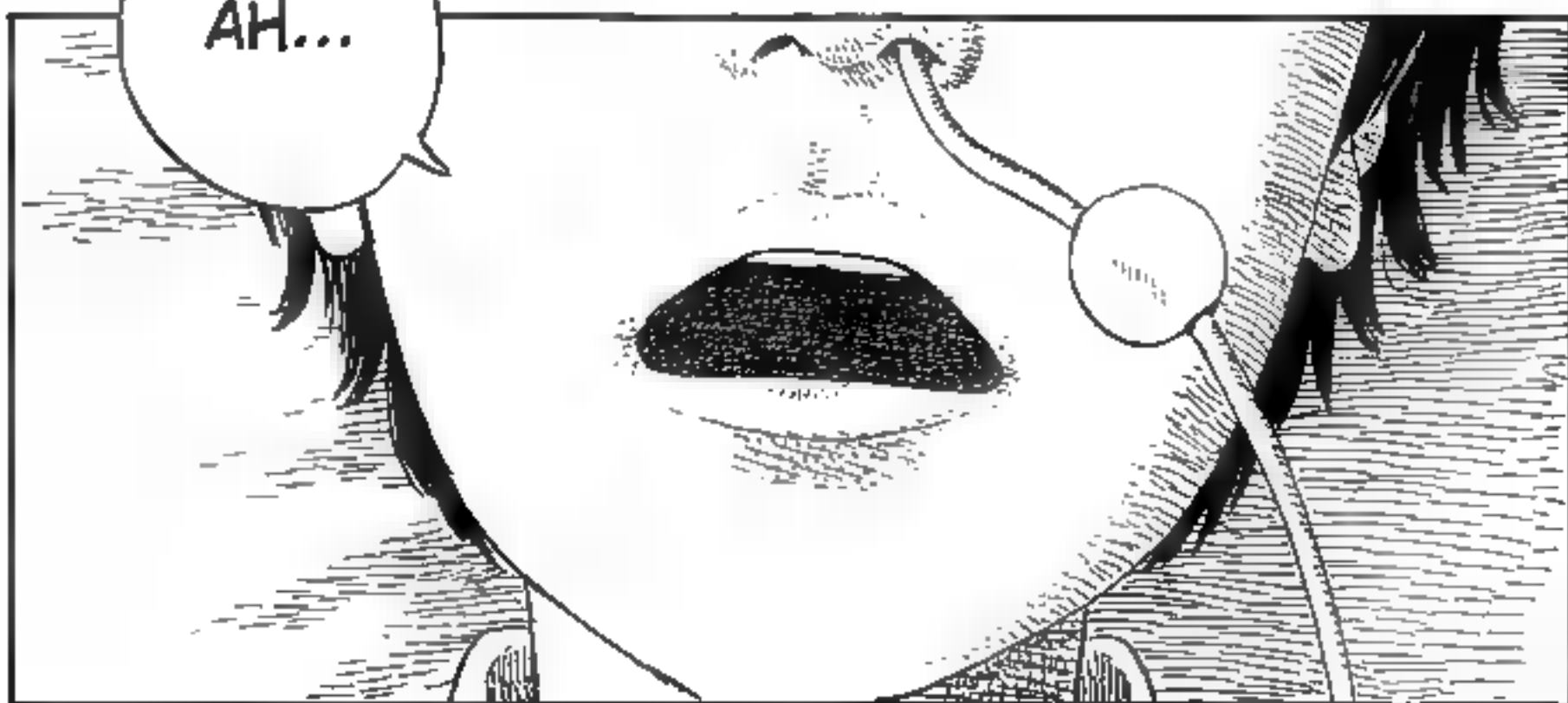
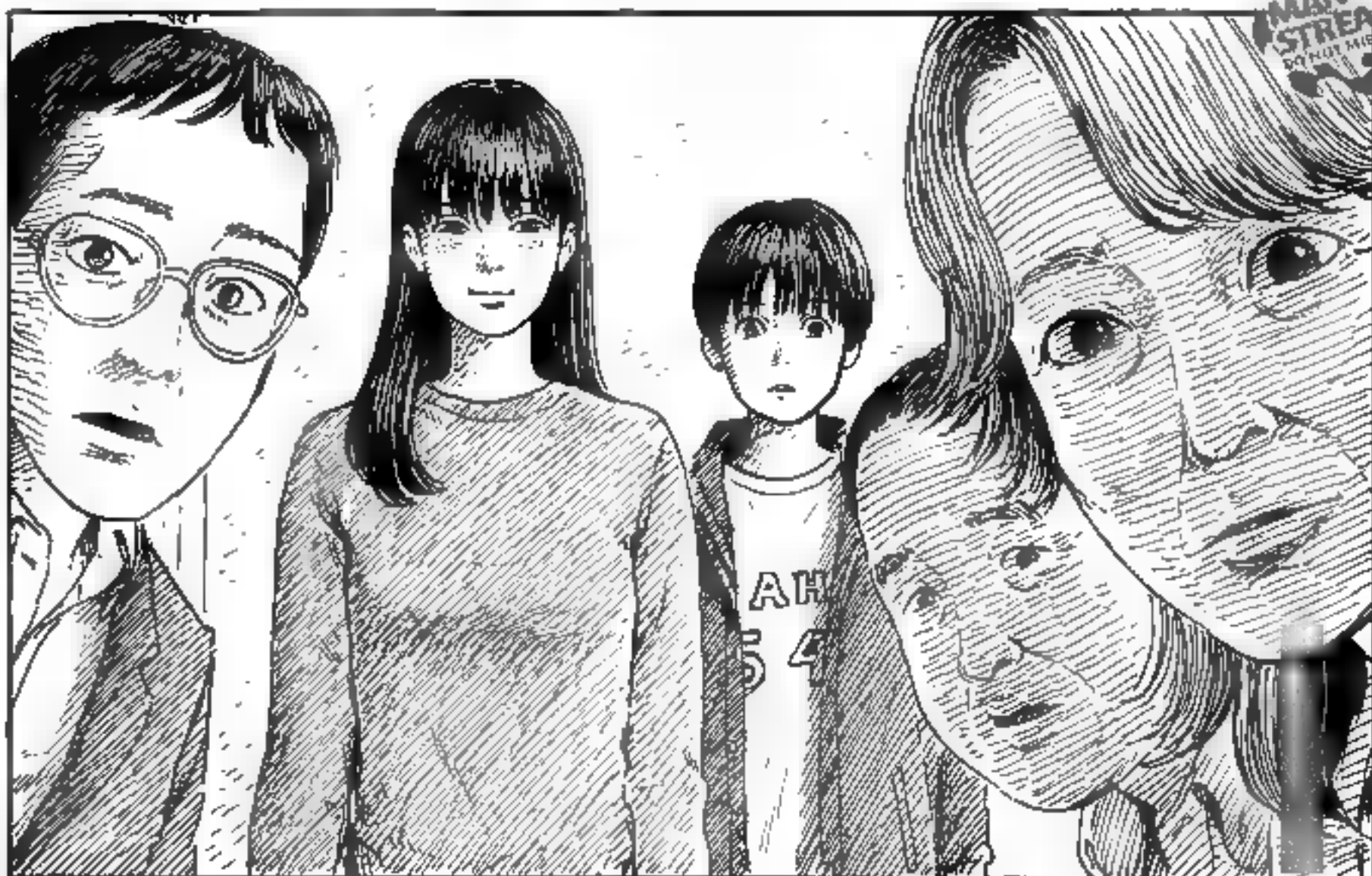


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BUTTER
...FLY...

THAT DAY... THERE WERE BUTTERFLIES FLYING
ABOUT... WHAT ■ SHIGERU TRYING TO SAY?!

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BUTTERFLY

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WHEN HE WAS PUSHED OFF THE CLIFF BUTTERFLIES WERE FLUTTERING ABOUT.



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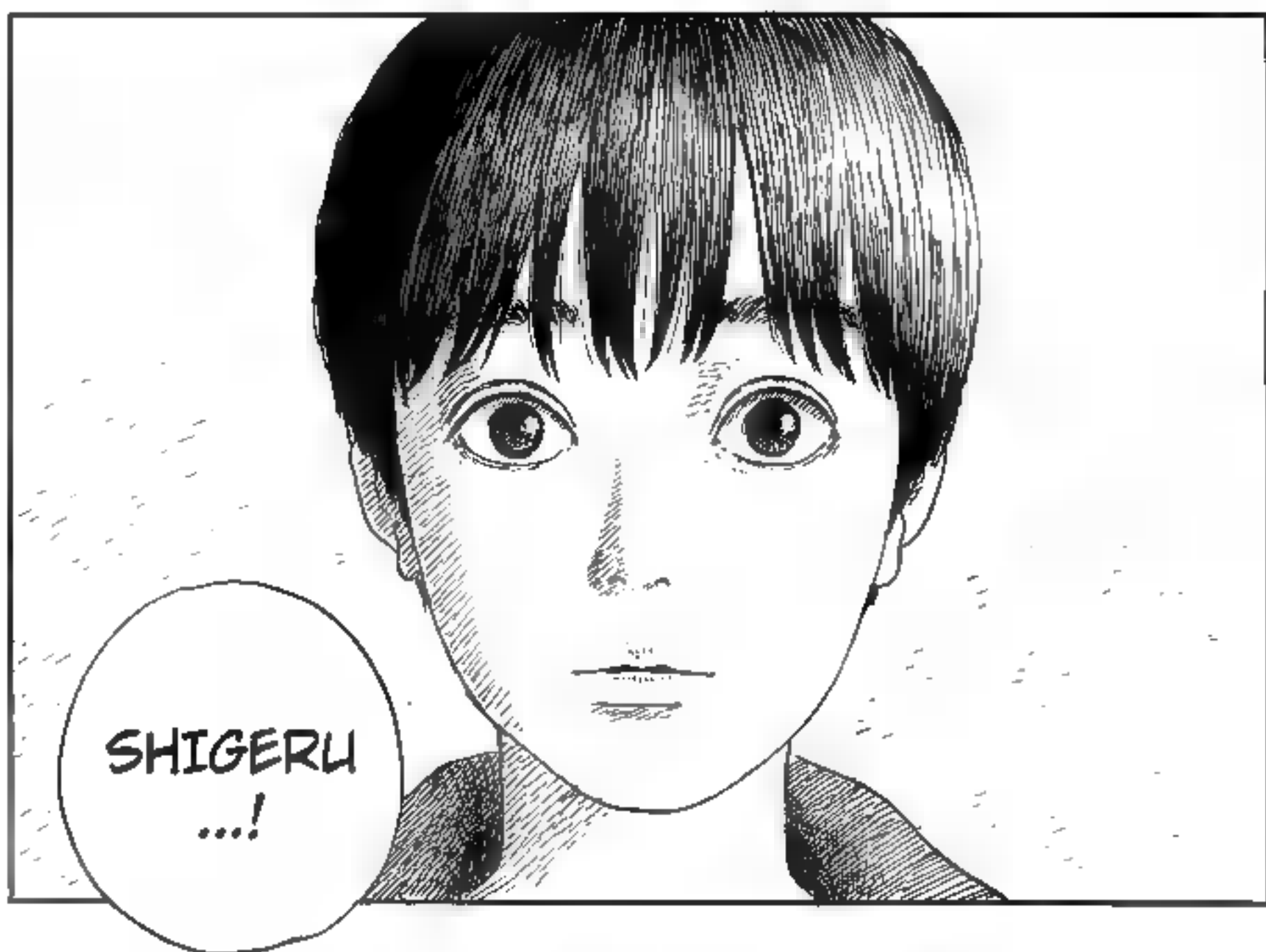
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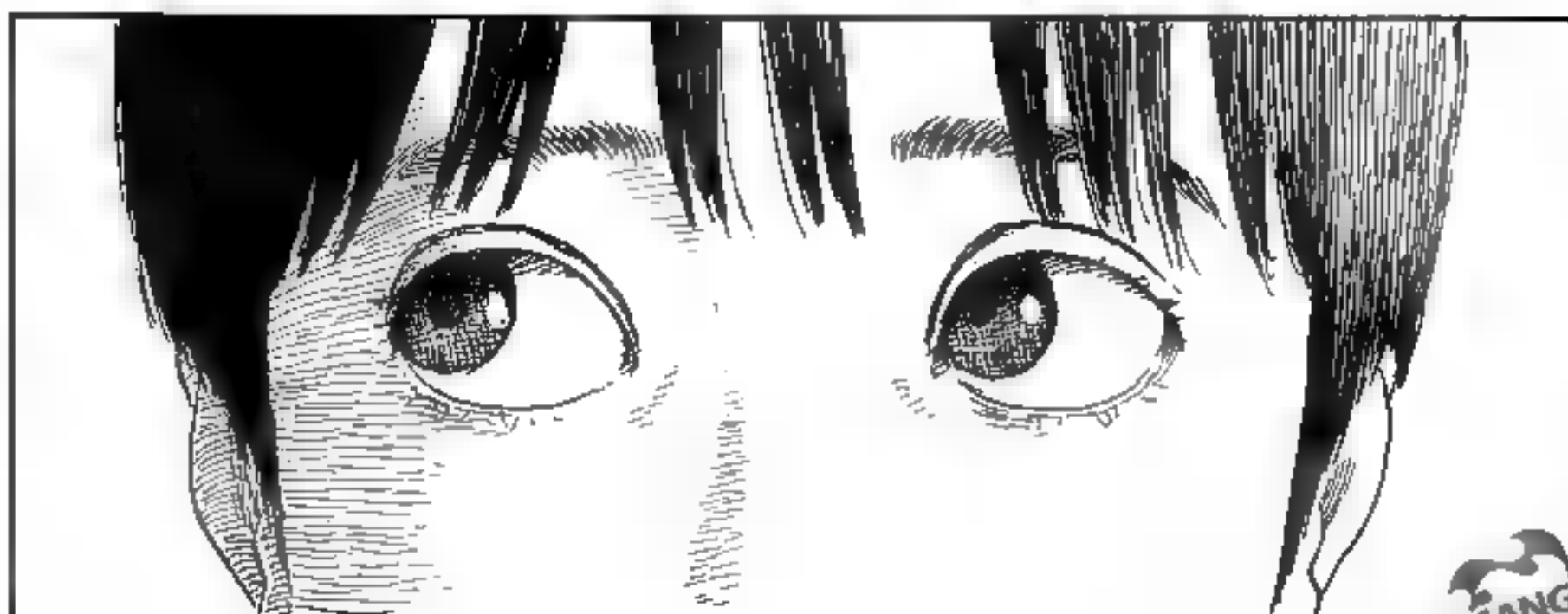
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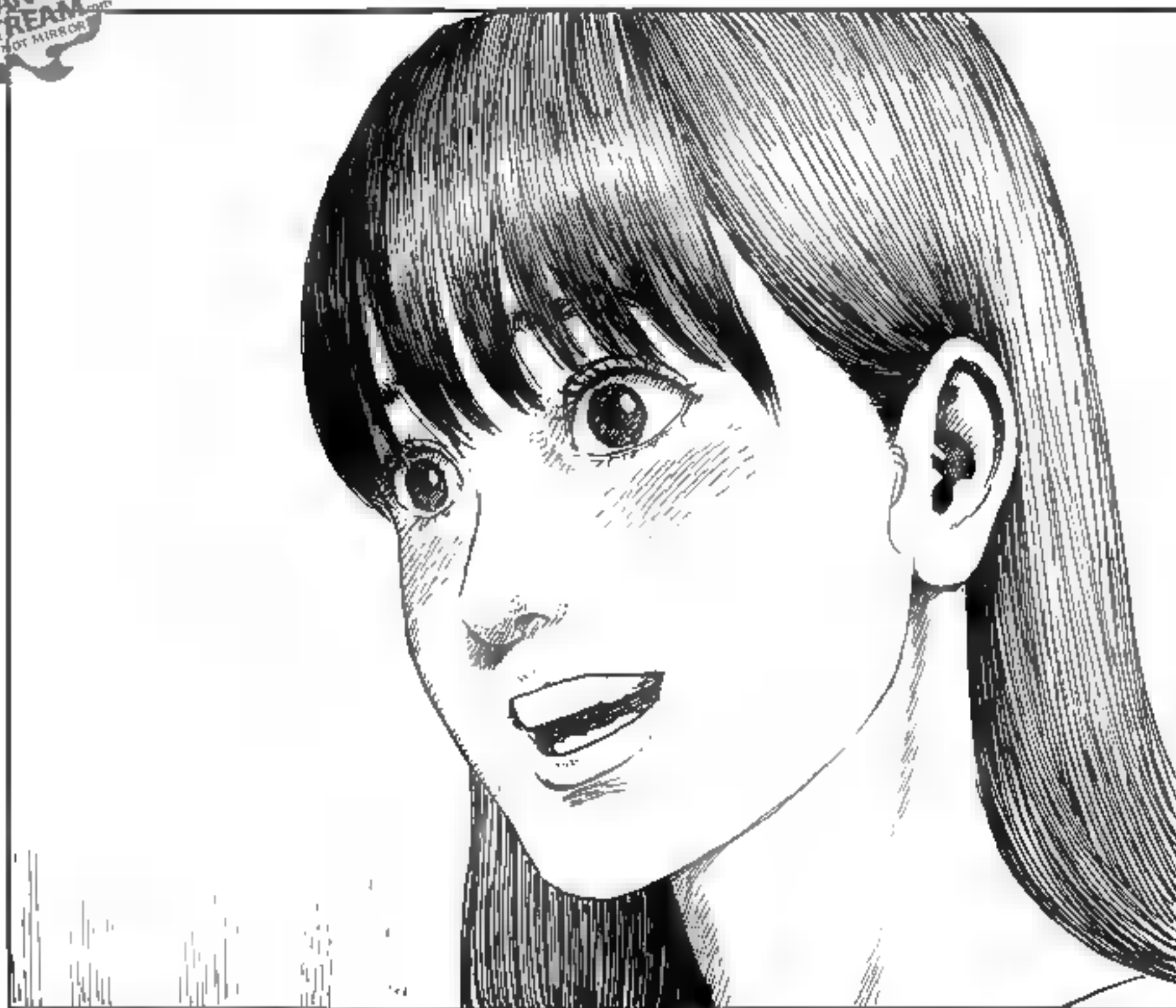
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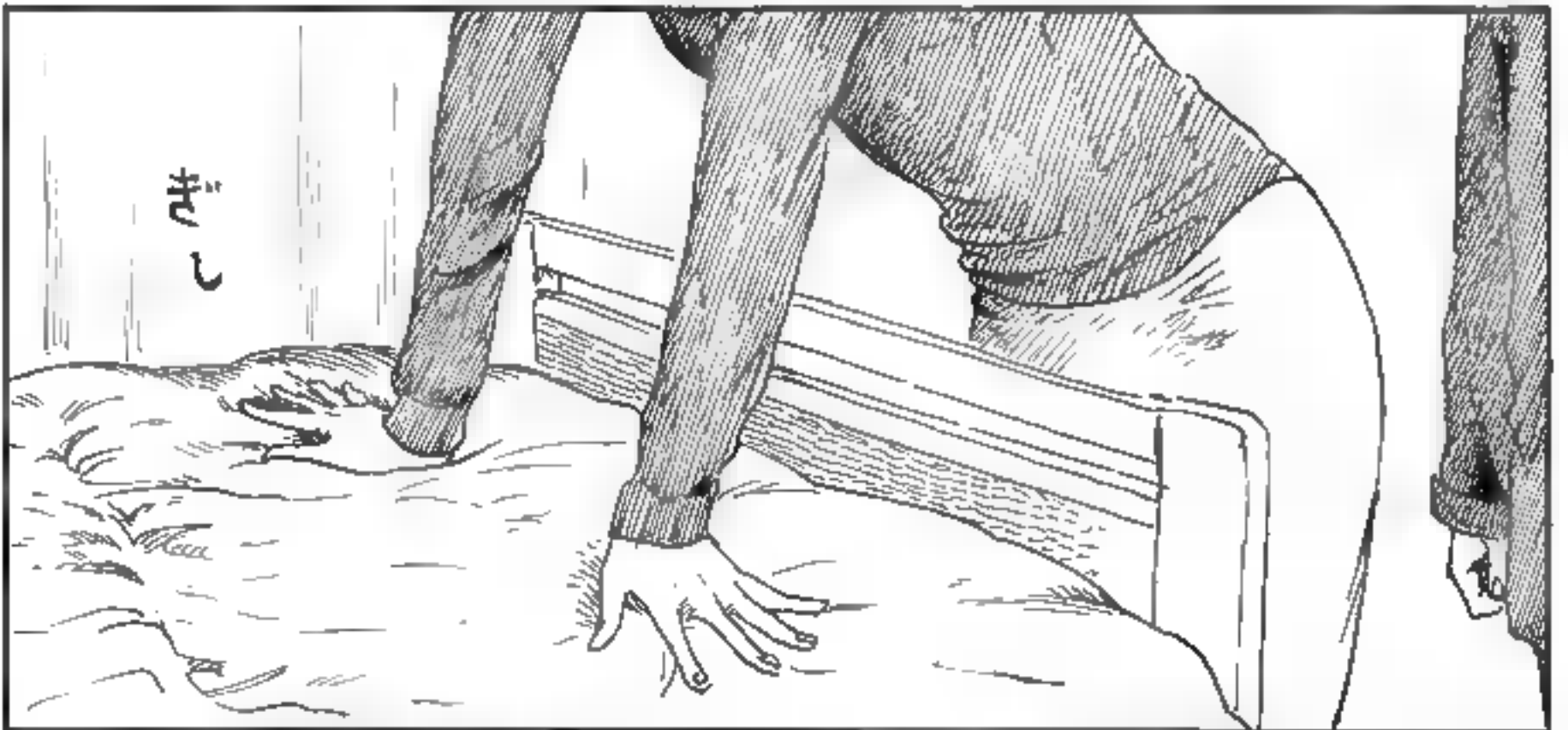
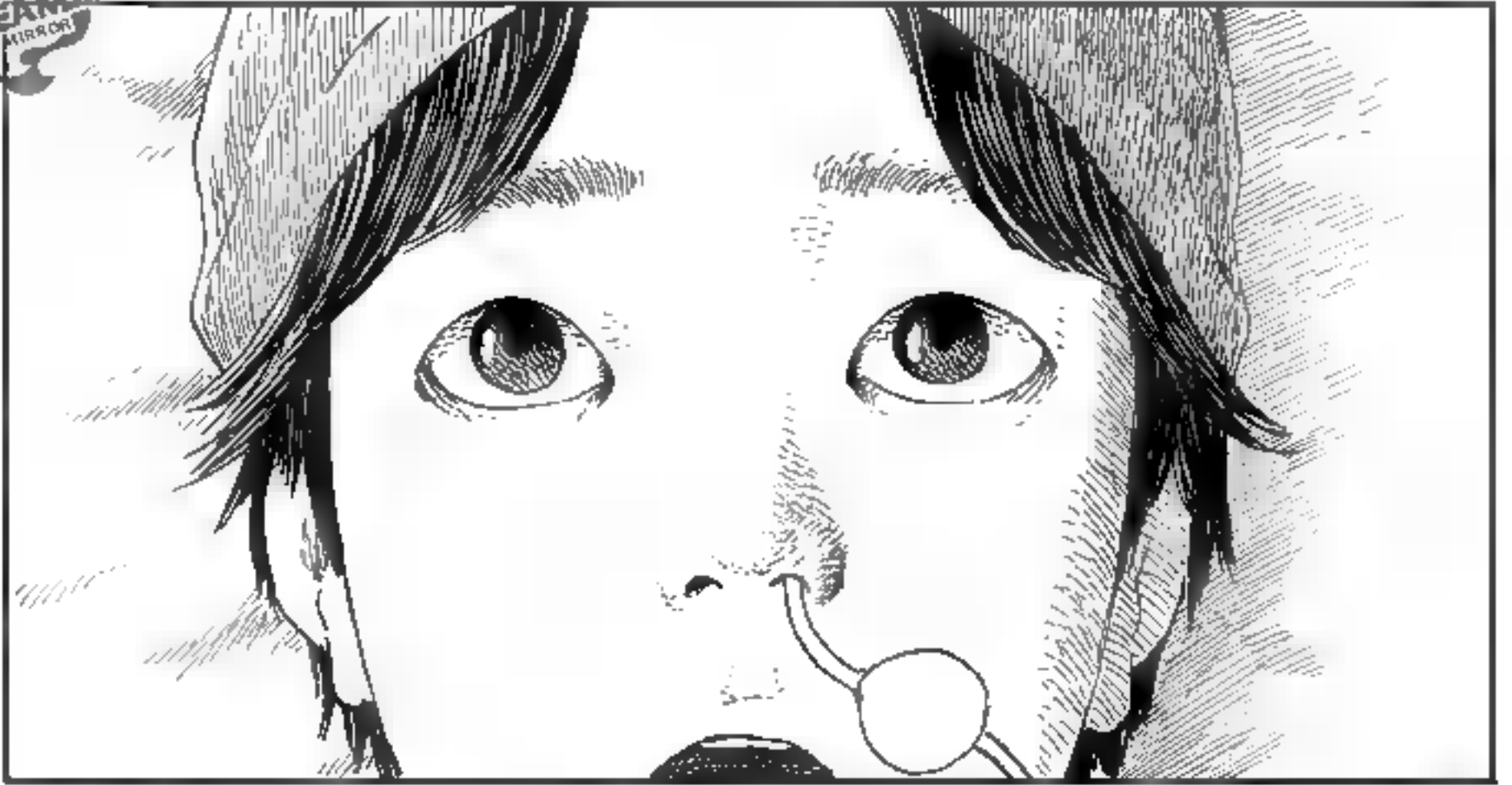
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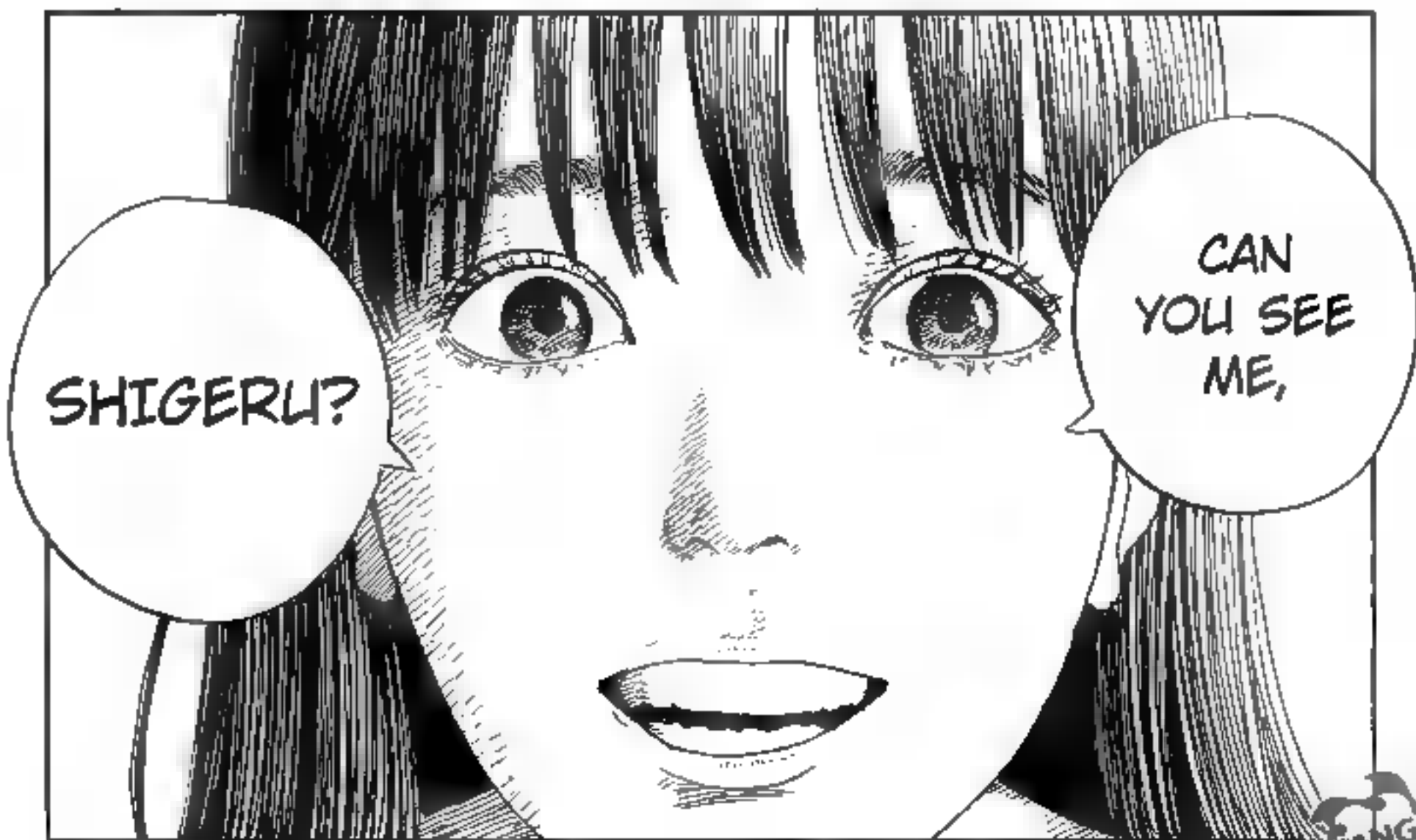


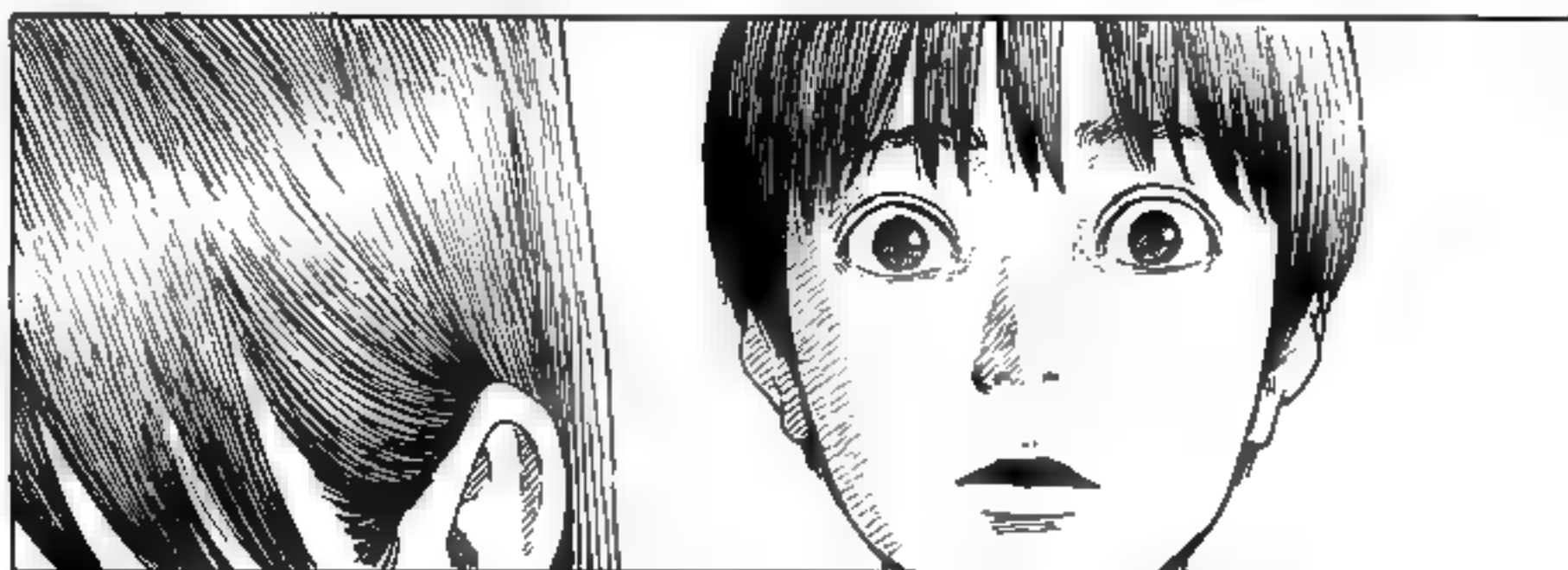
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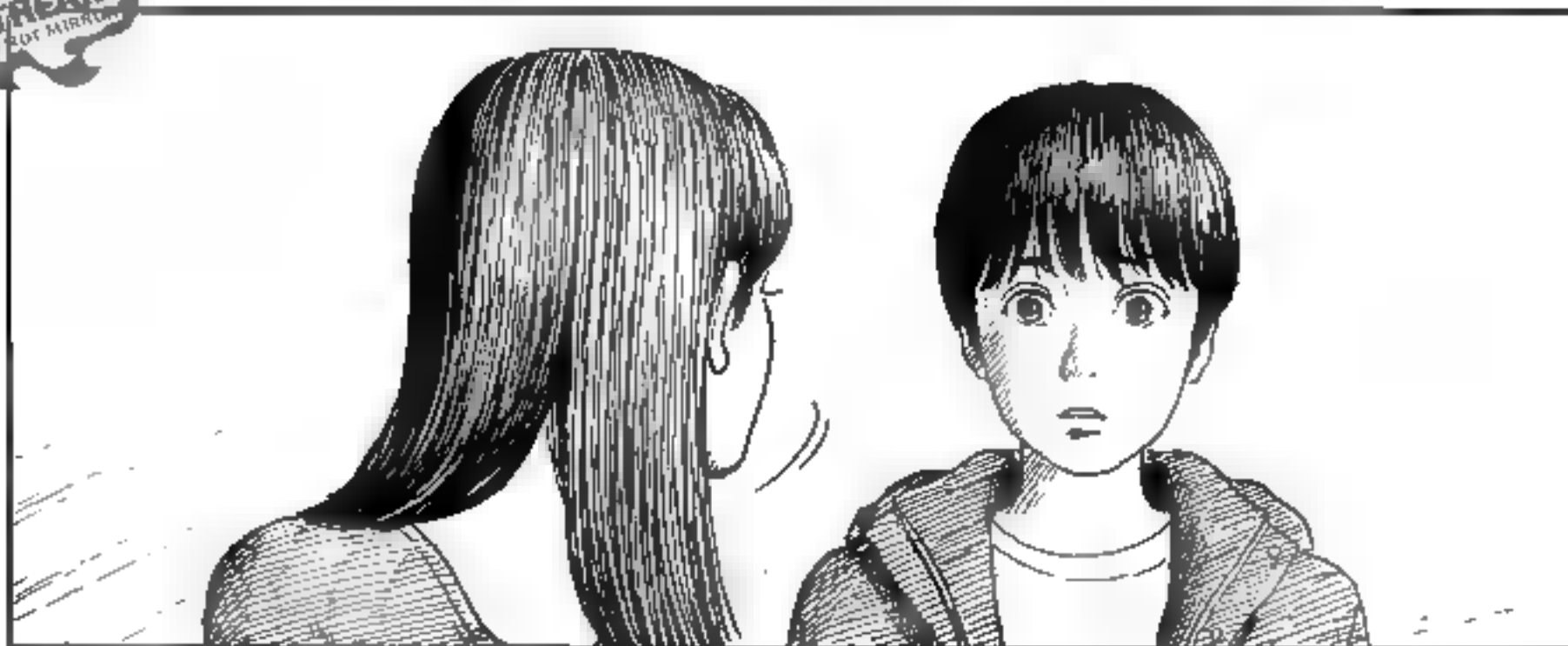






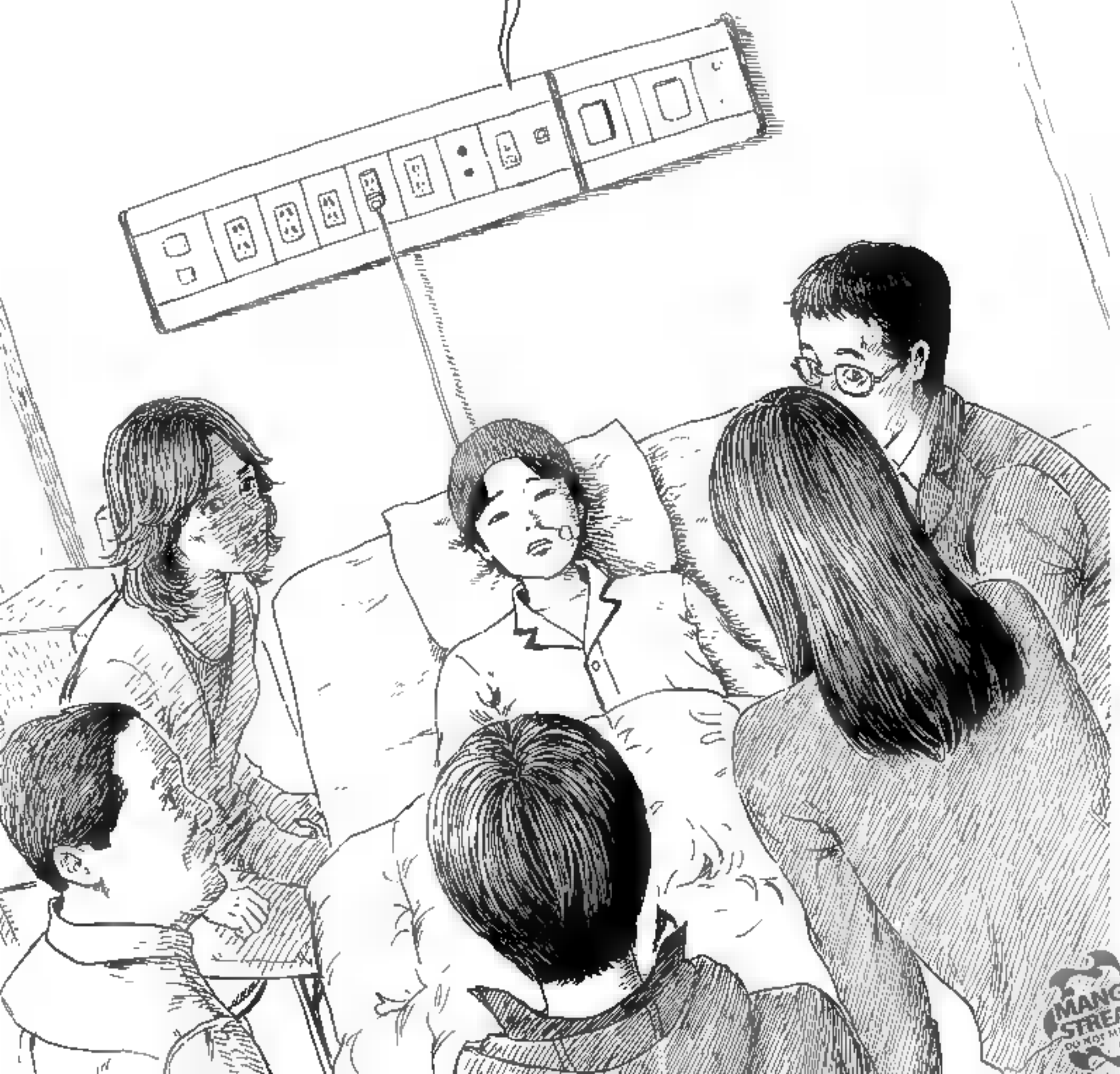


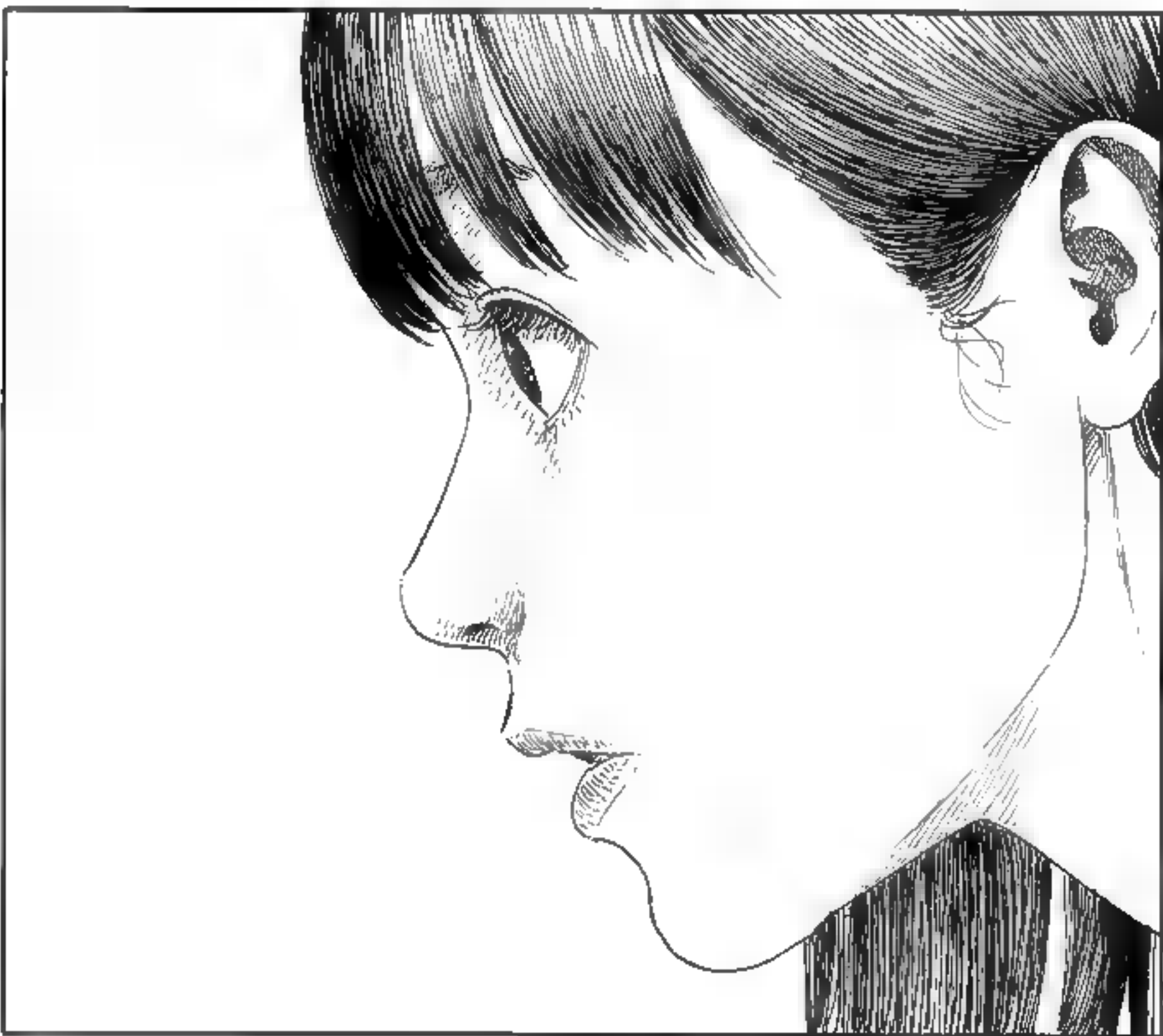
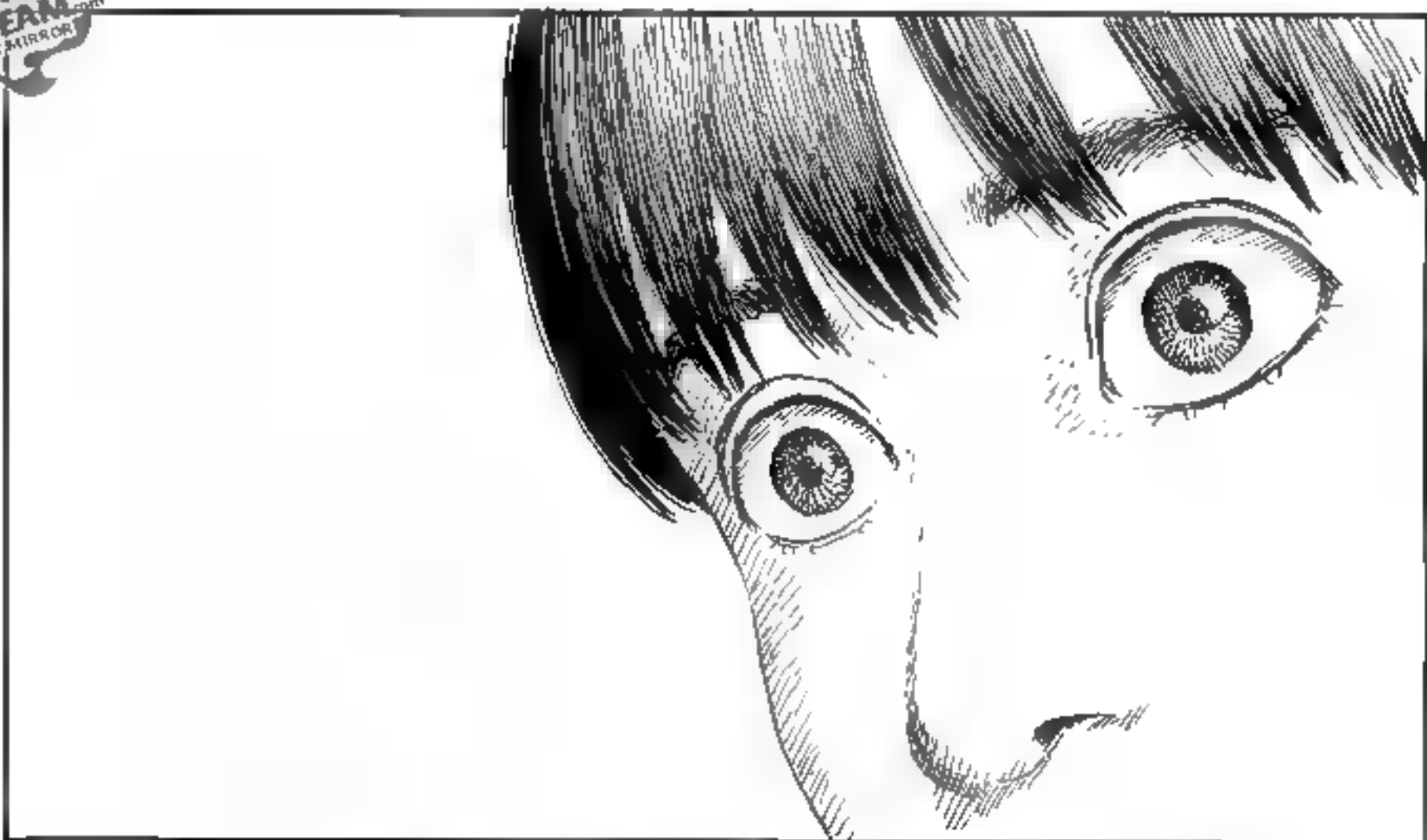


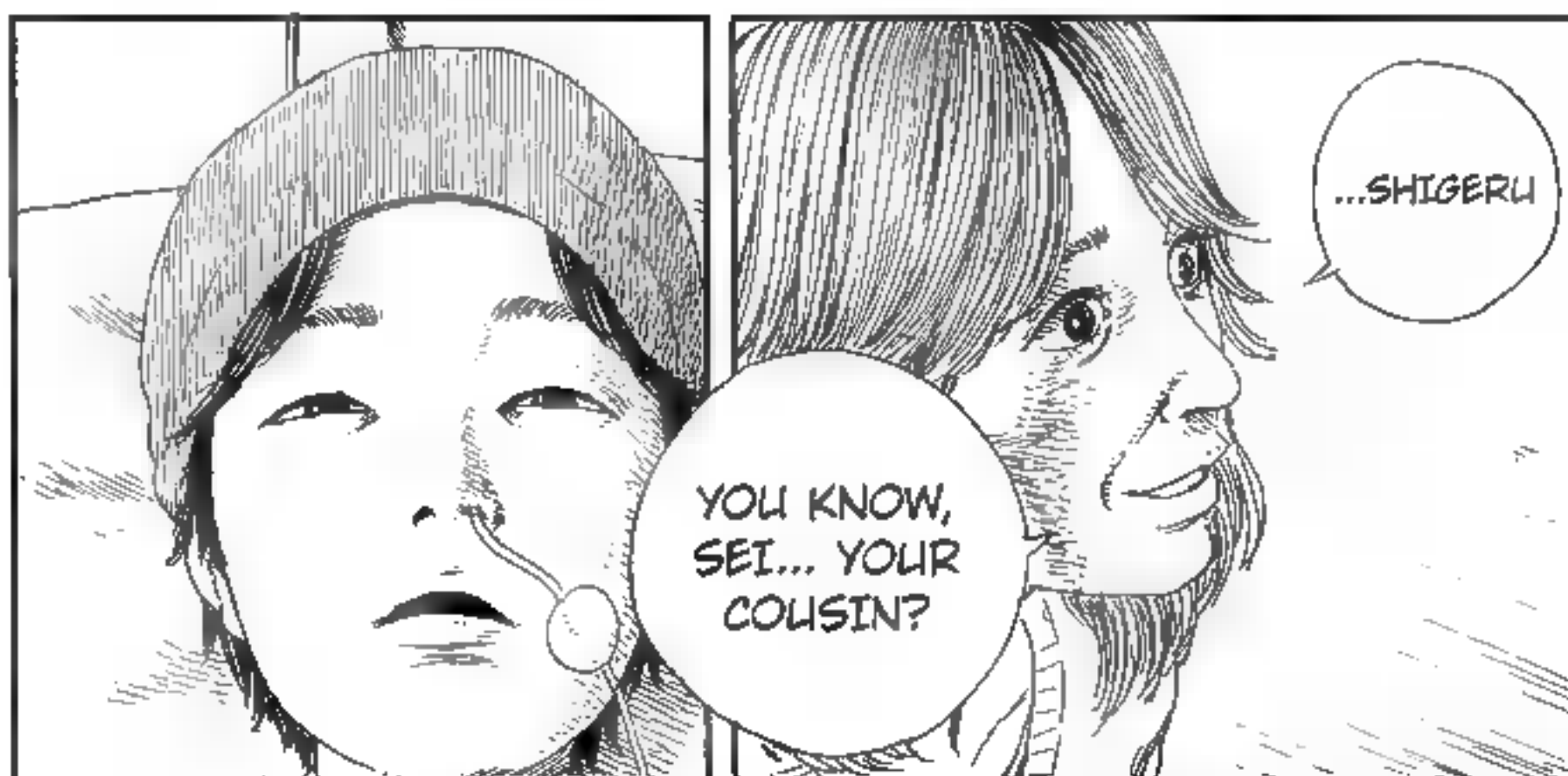




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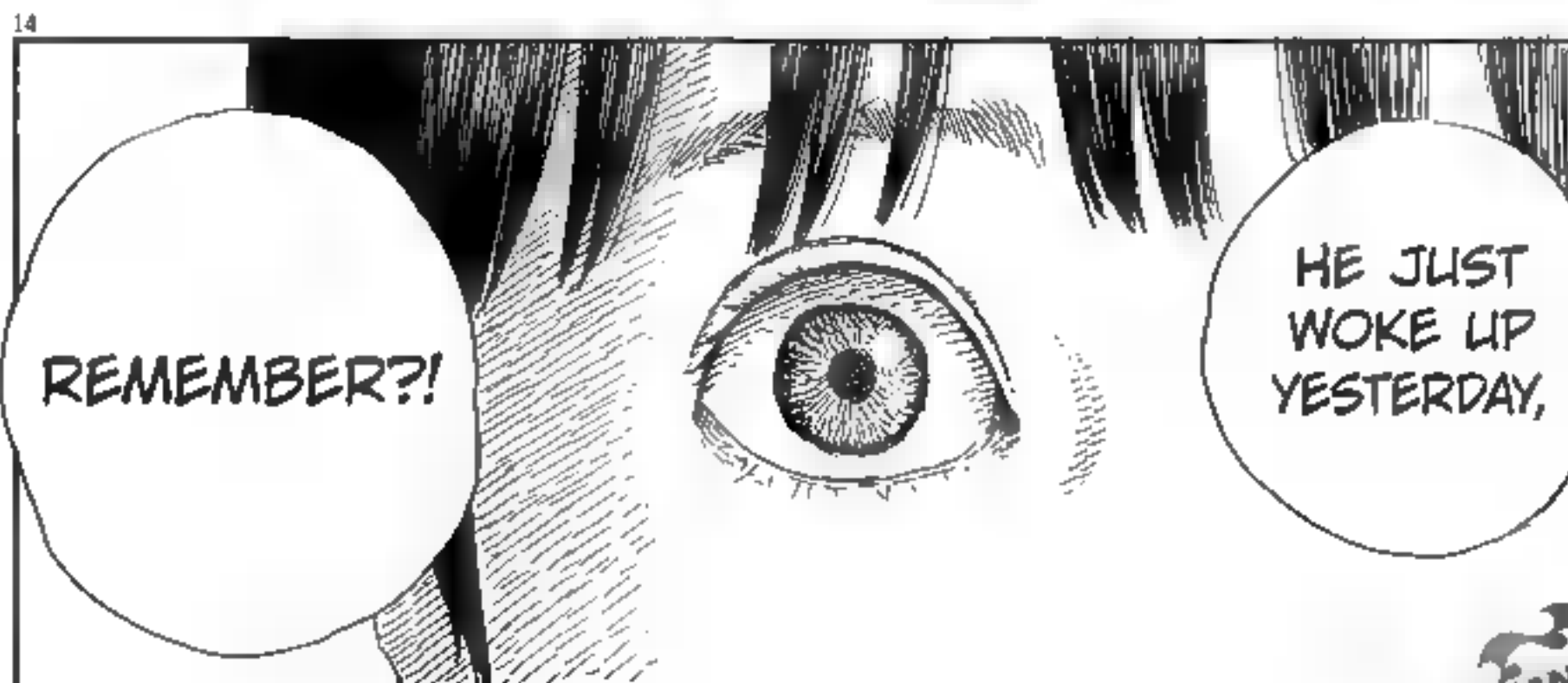
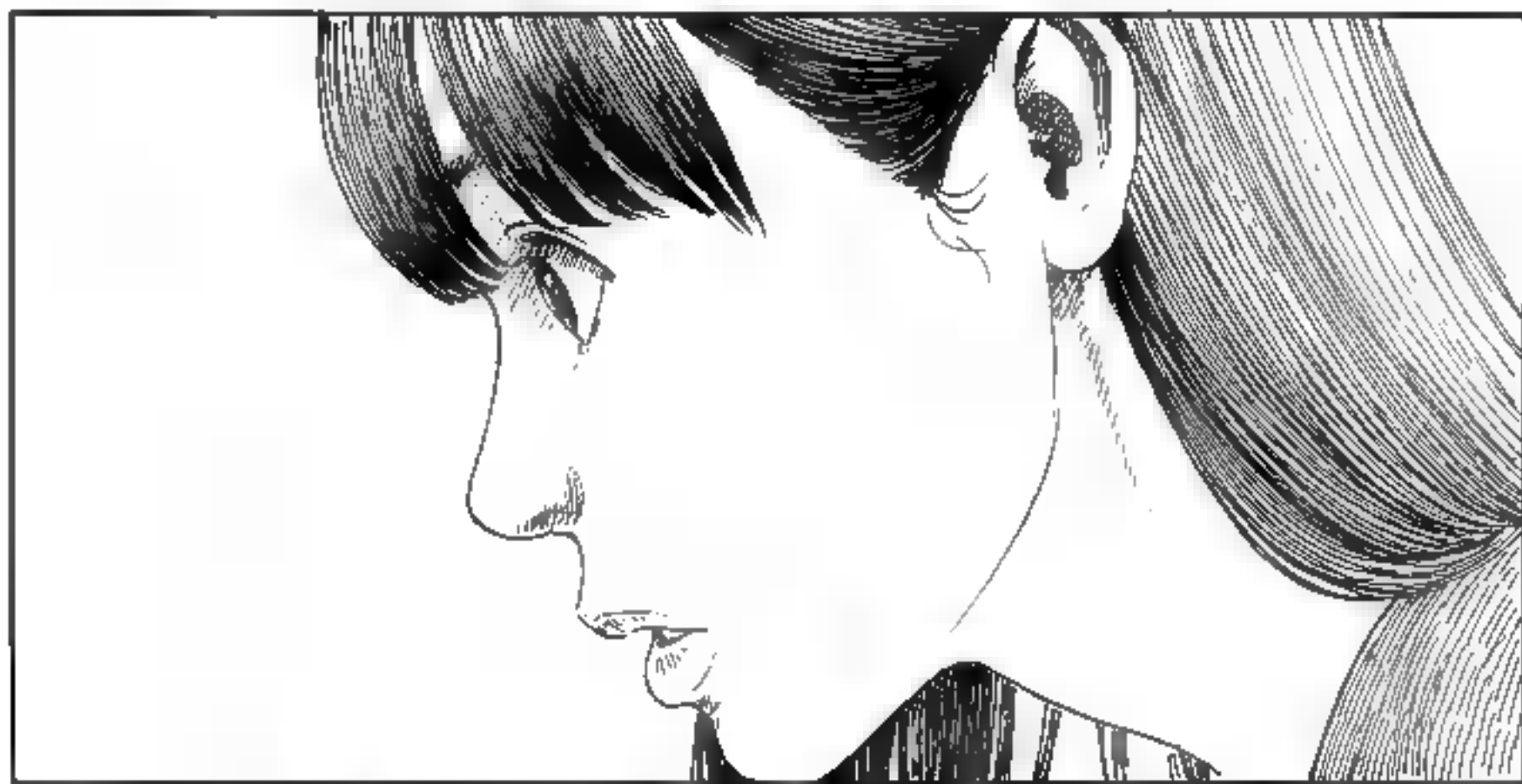
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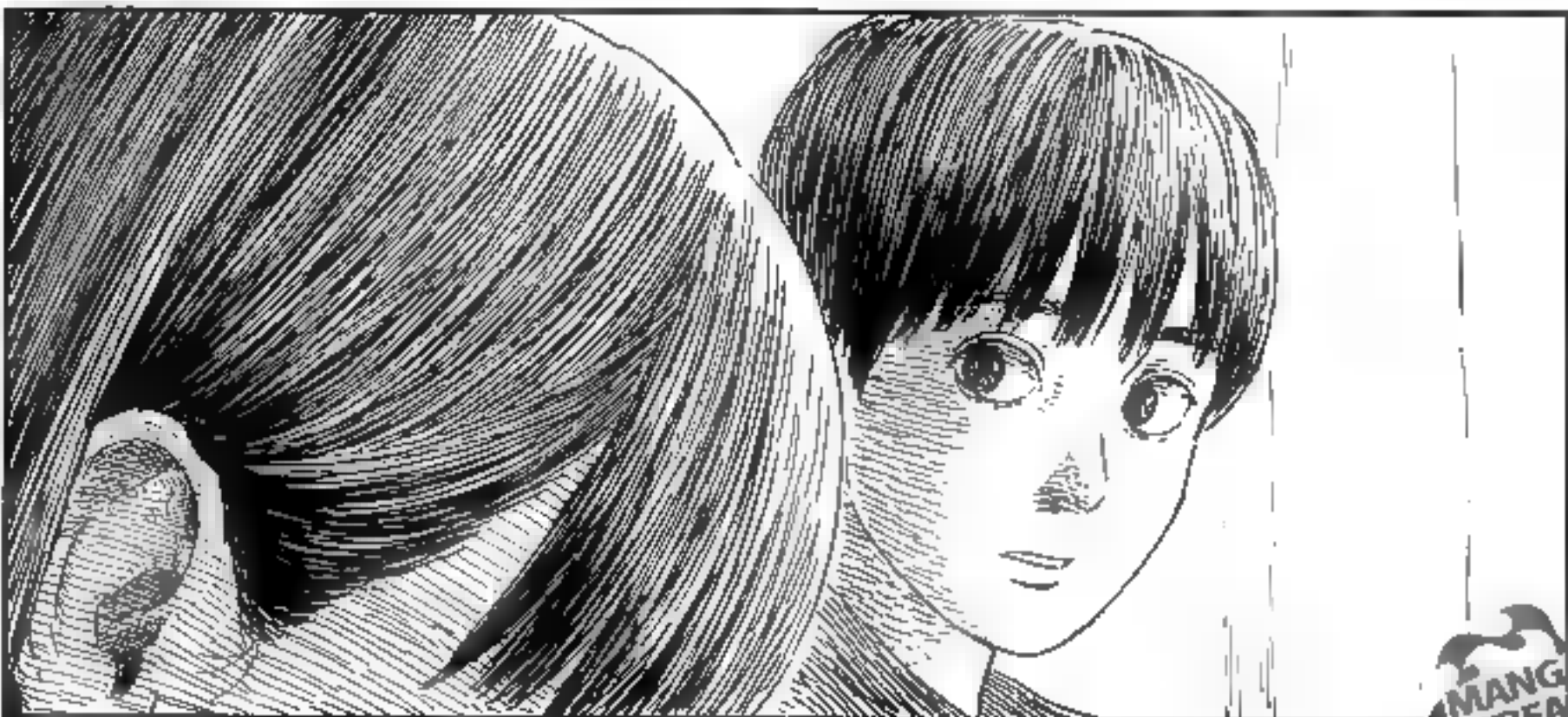
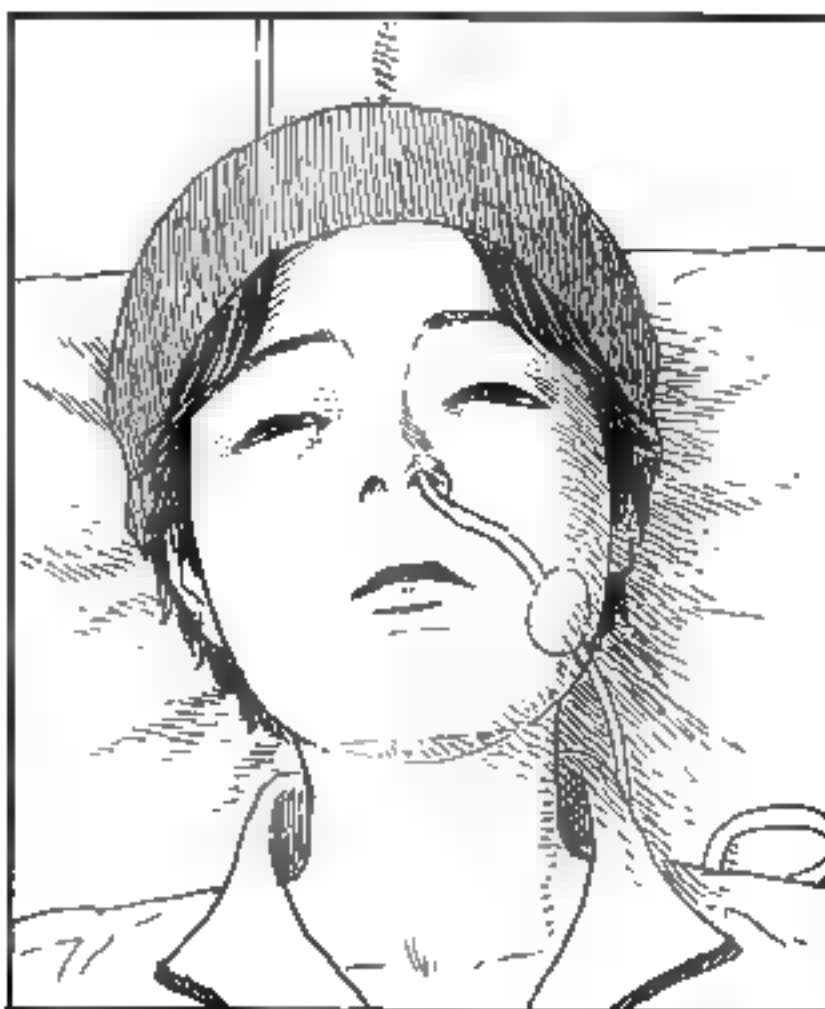


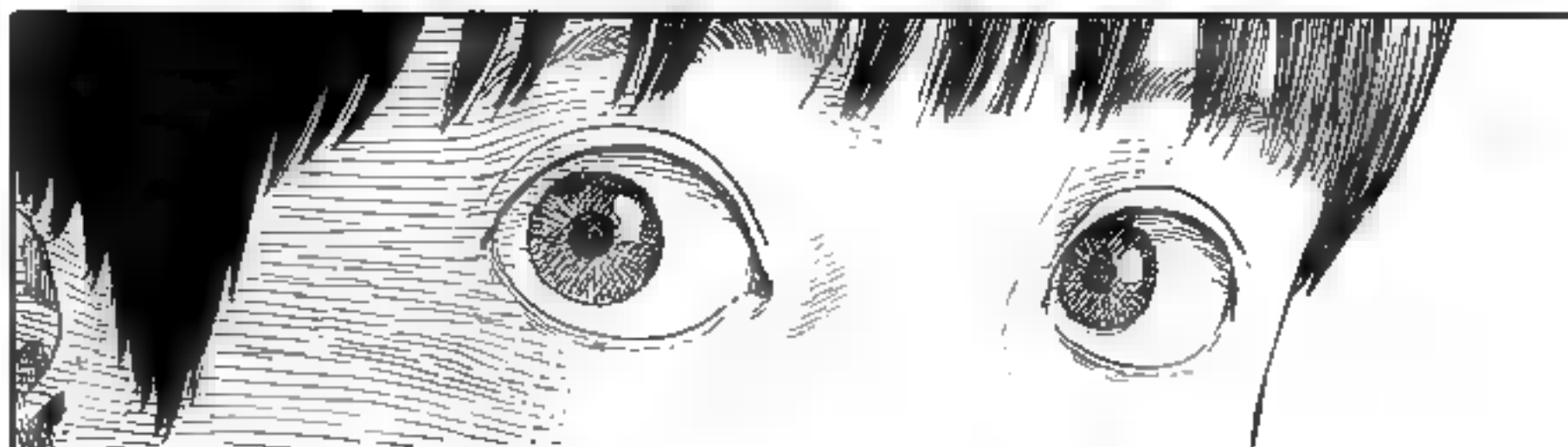


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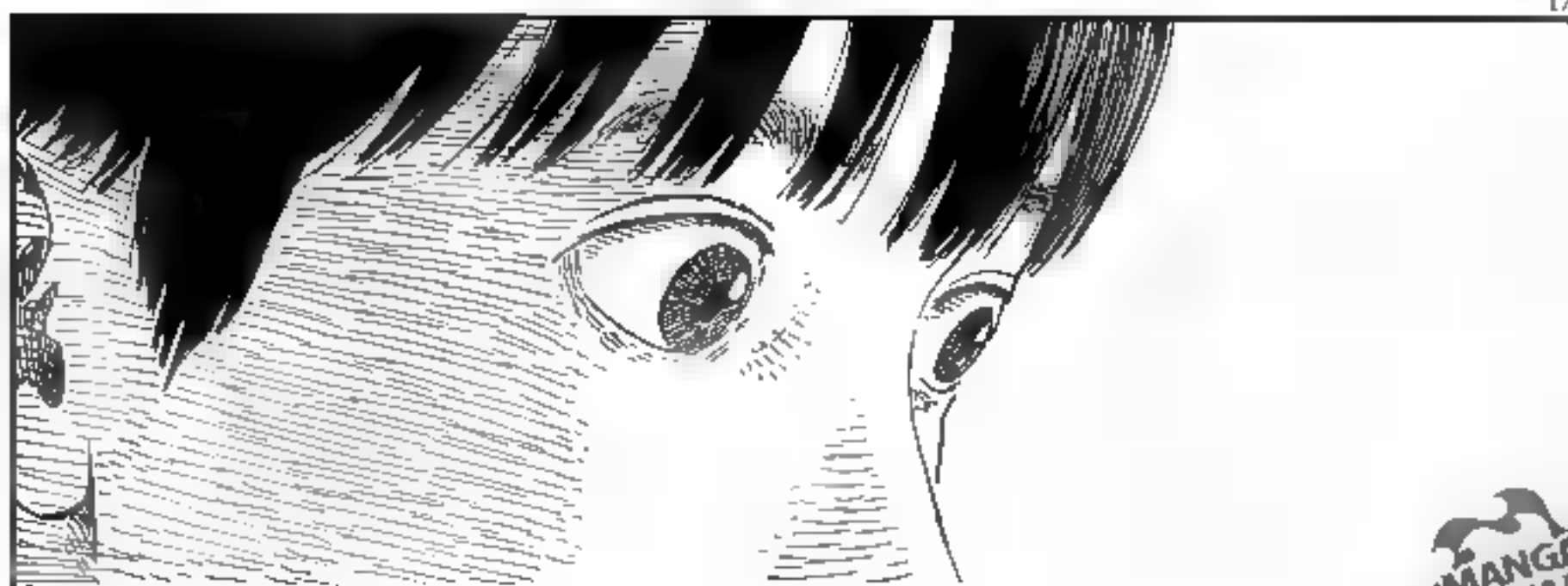


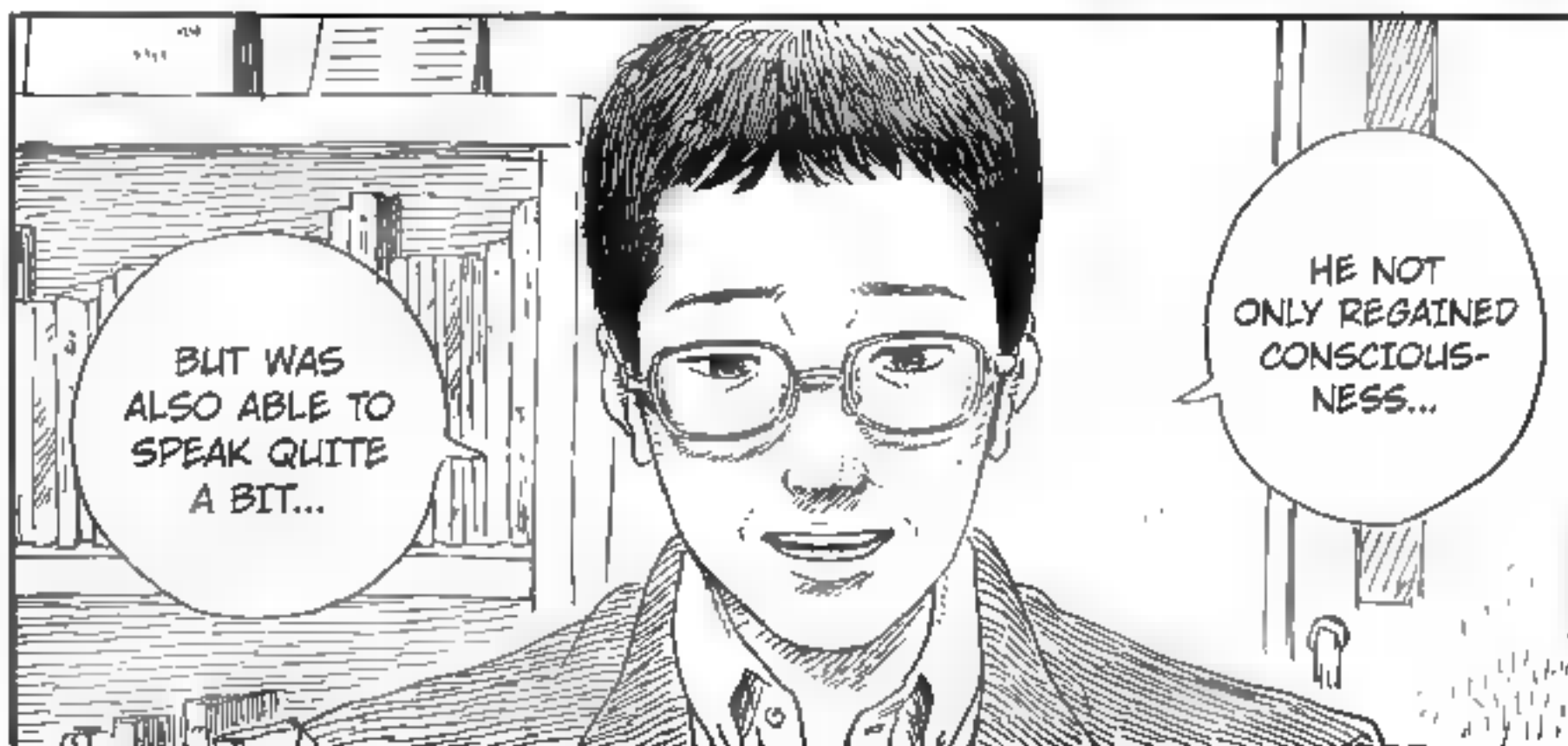


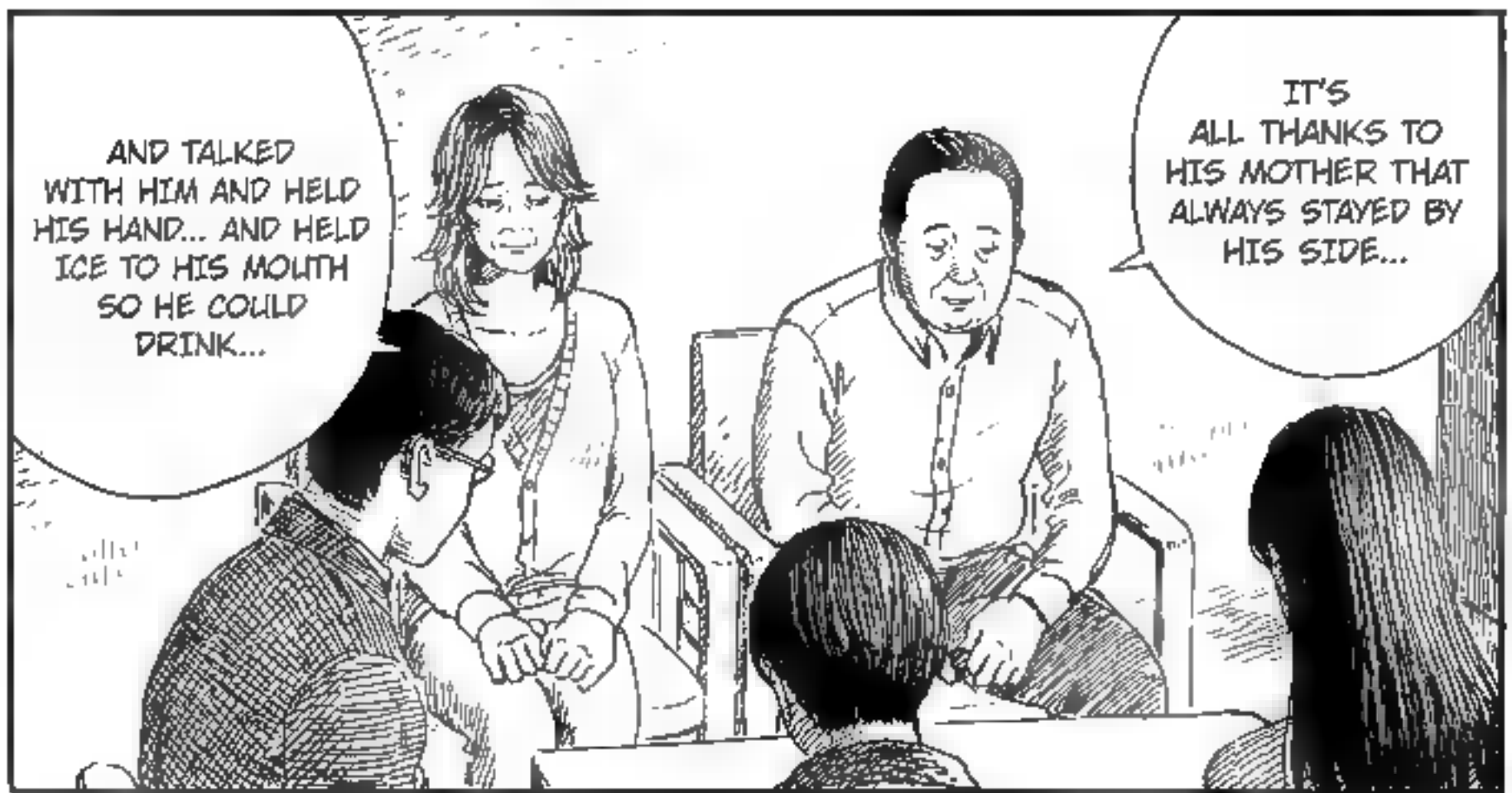


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AND TALKED
WITH HIM AND HELD
HIS HAND... AND HELD
ICE TO HIS MOUTH
SO HE COULD
DRINK...

IT'S
ALL THANKS TO
HIS MOTHER THAT
ALWAYS STAYED BY
HIS SIDE...

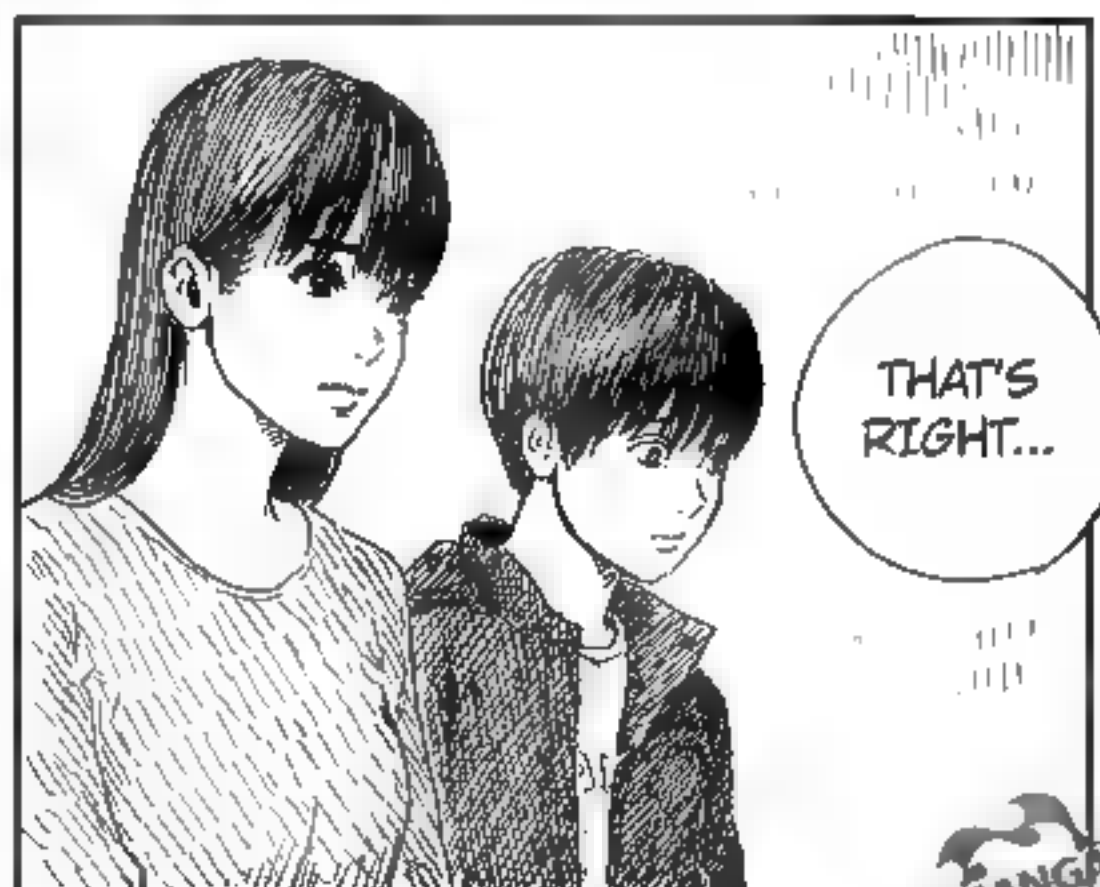


HE'S TRULY...
A VERY STRONG
BOY.

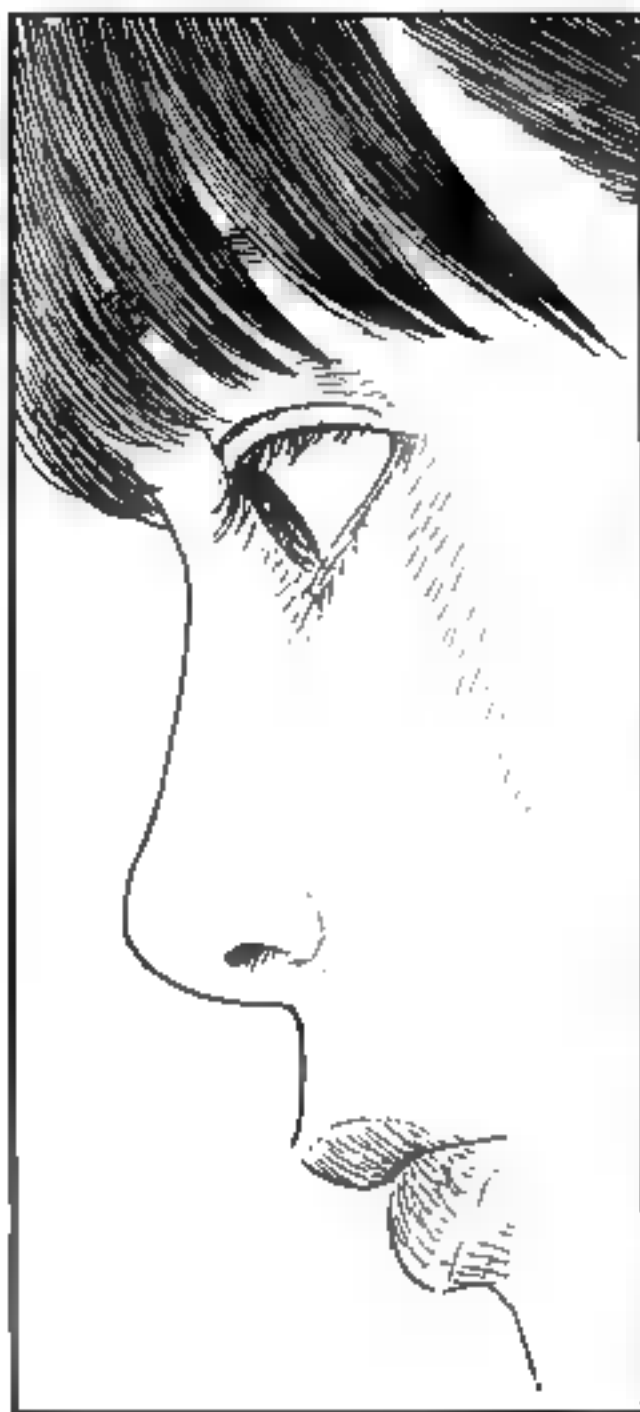
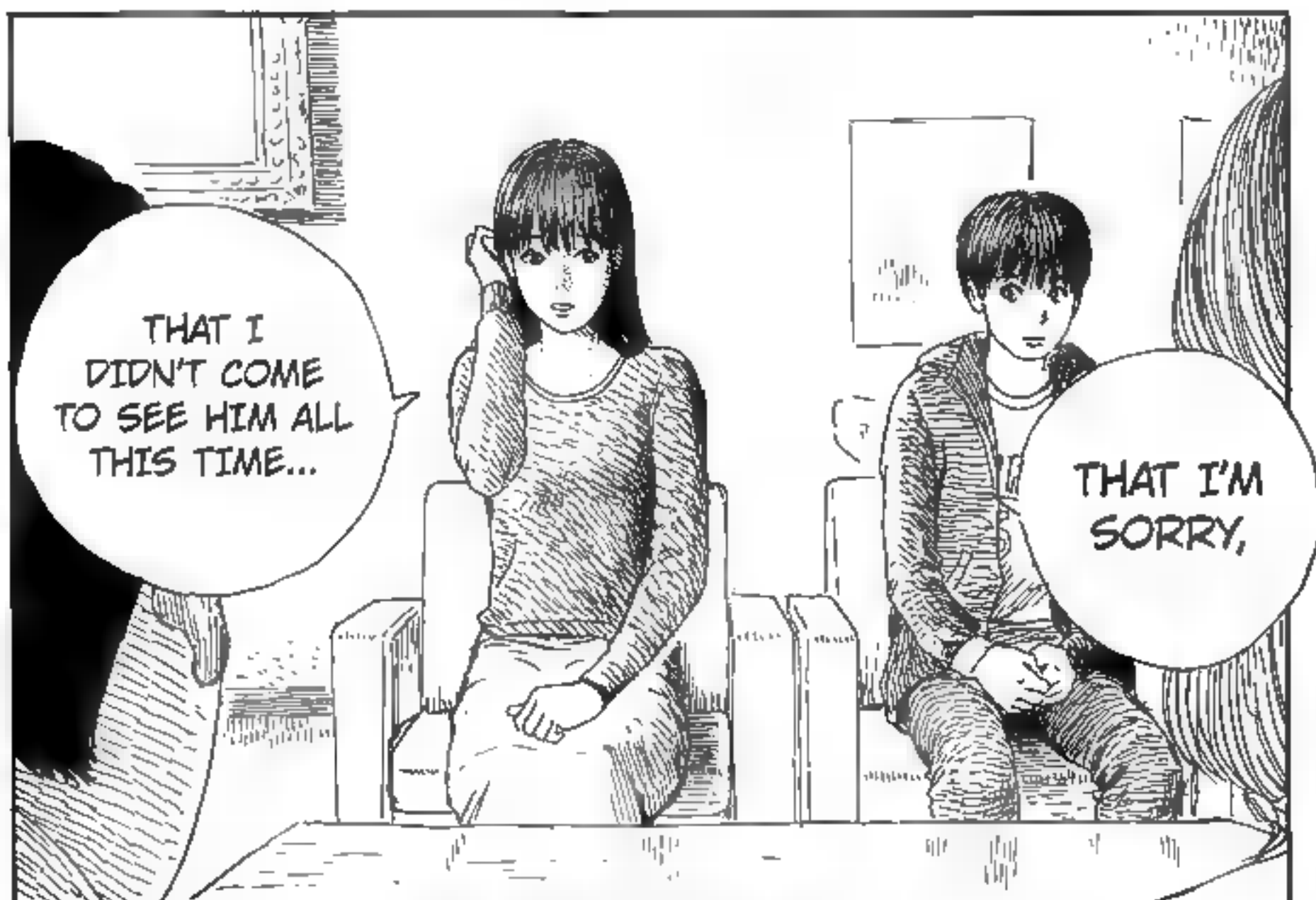
IT'S THANKS
TO SHIGERU, HE'S
TRYING HIS BEST
TO OVERCOME
THIS.

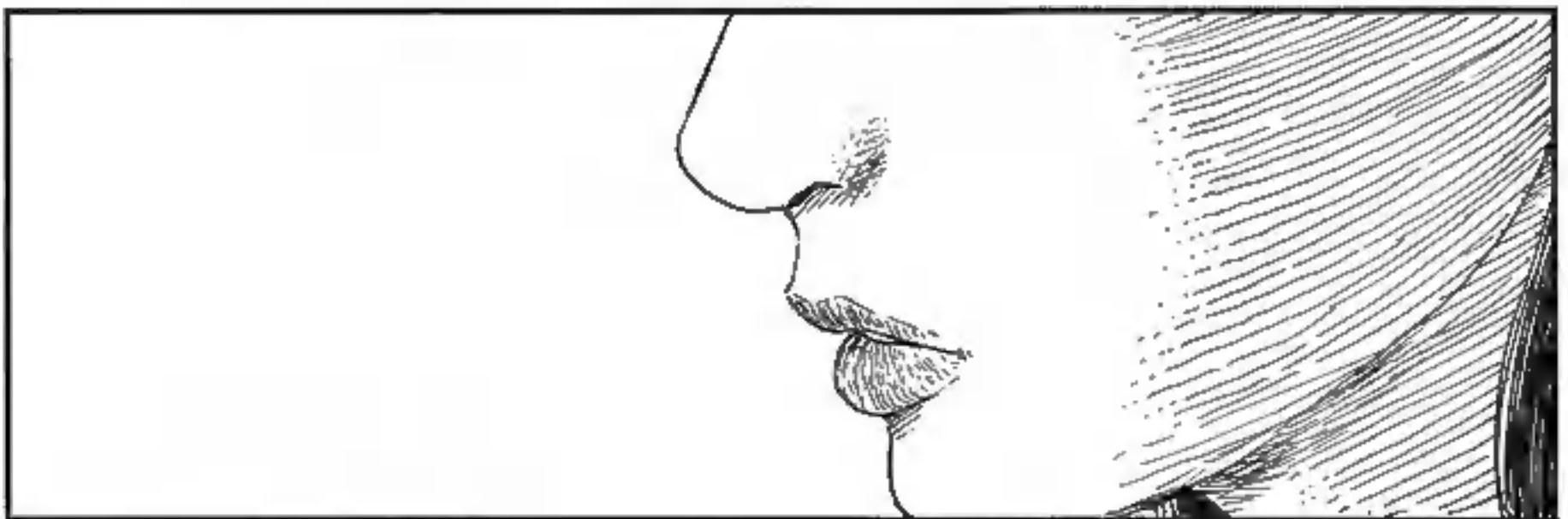
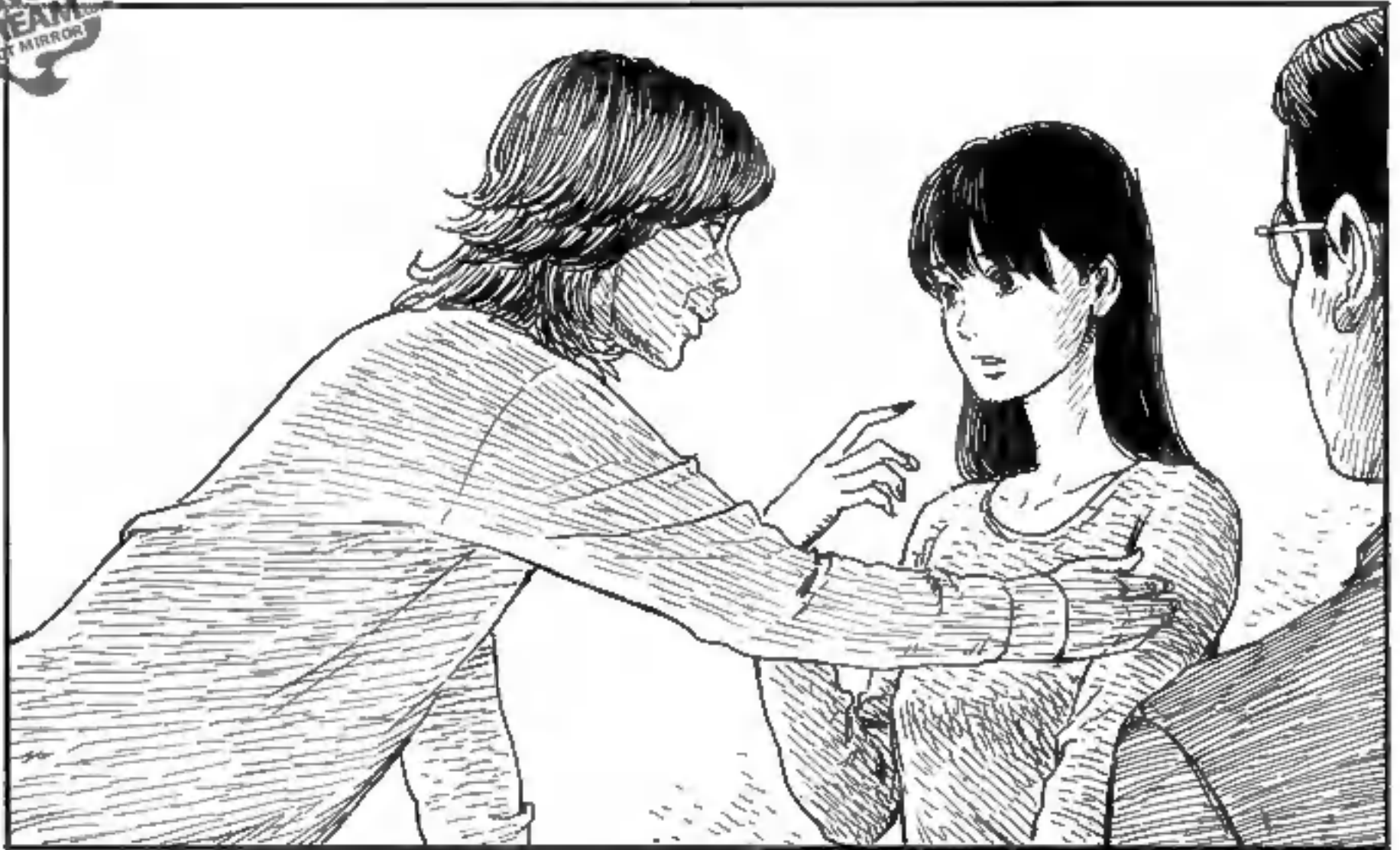


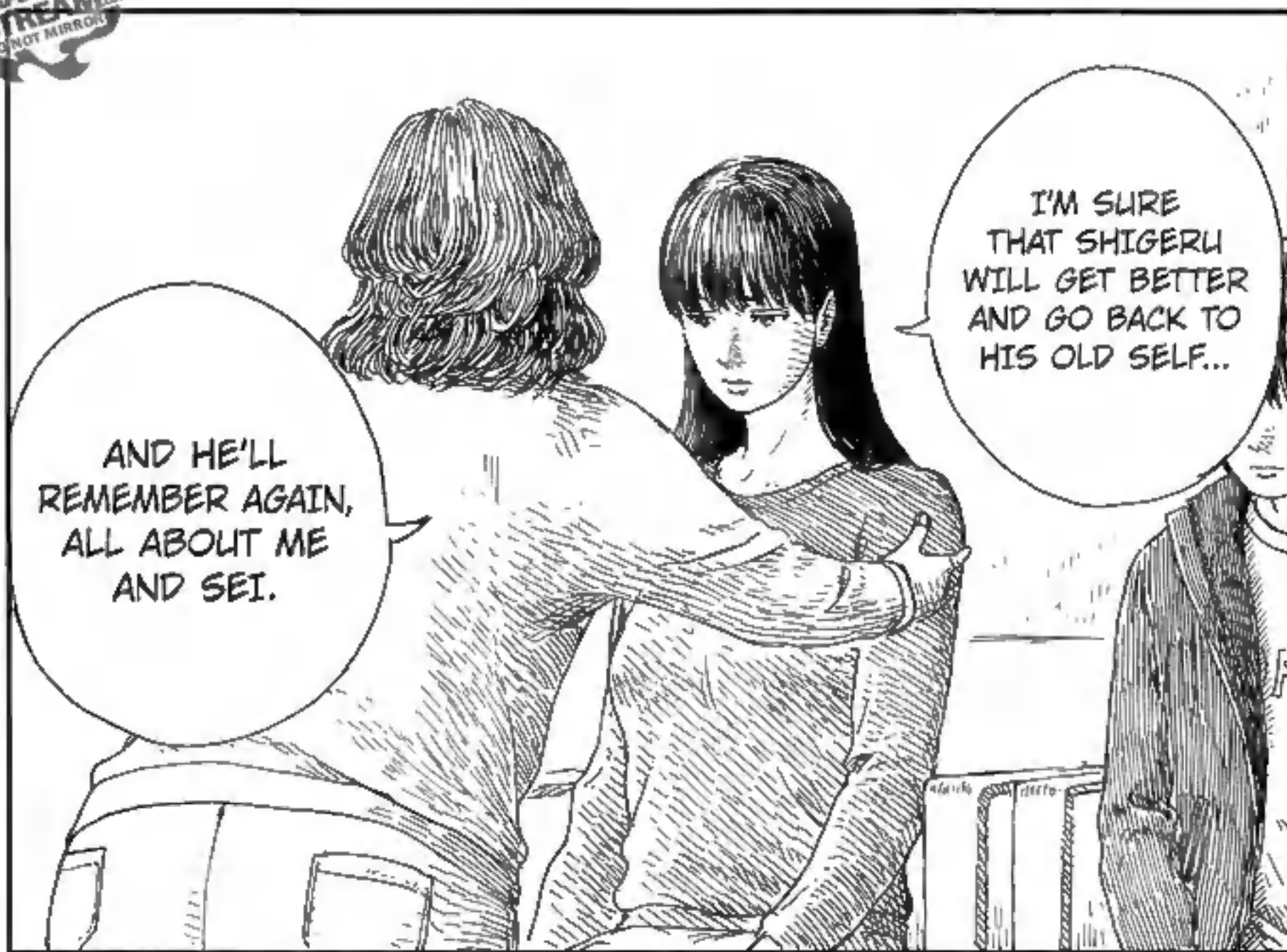
I JUST
WANTED TO
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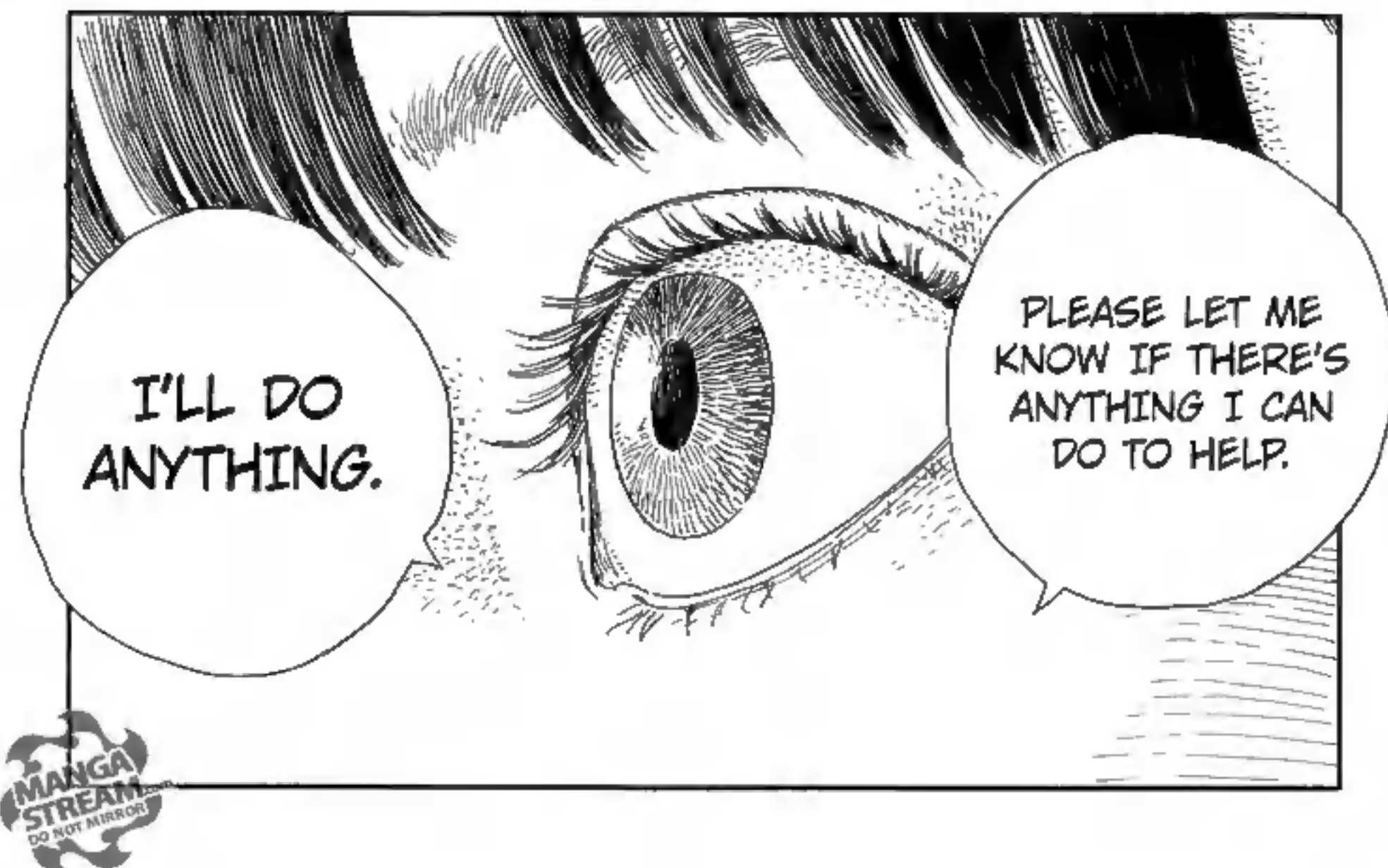


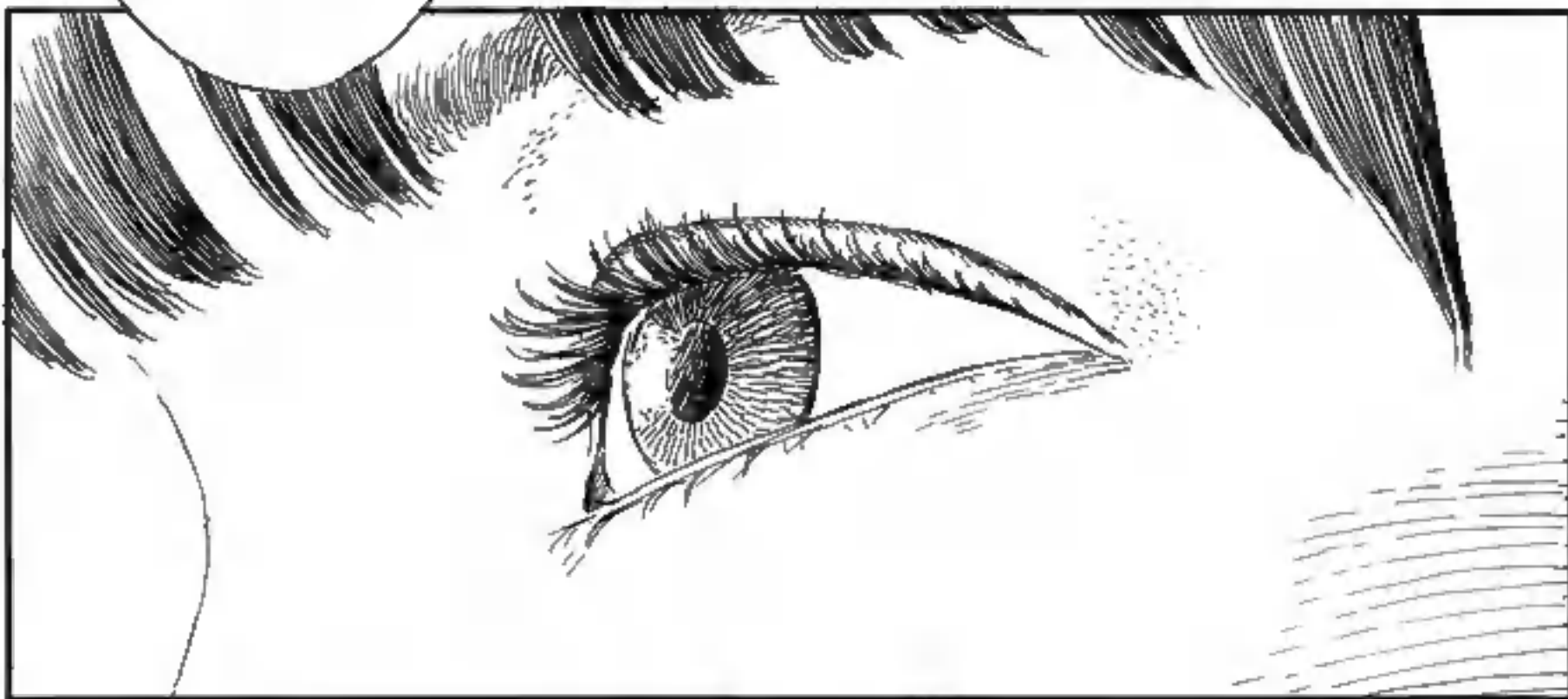
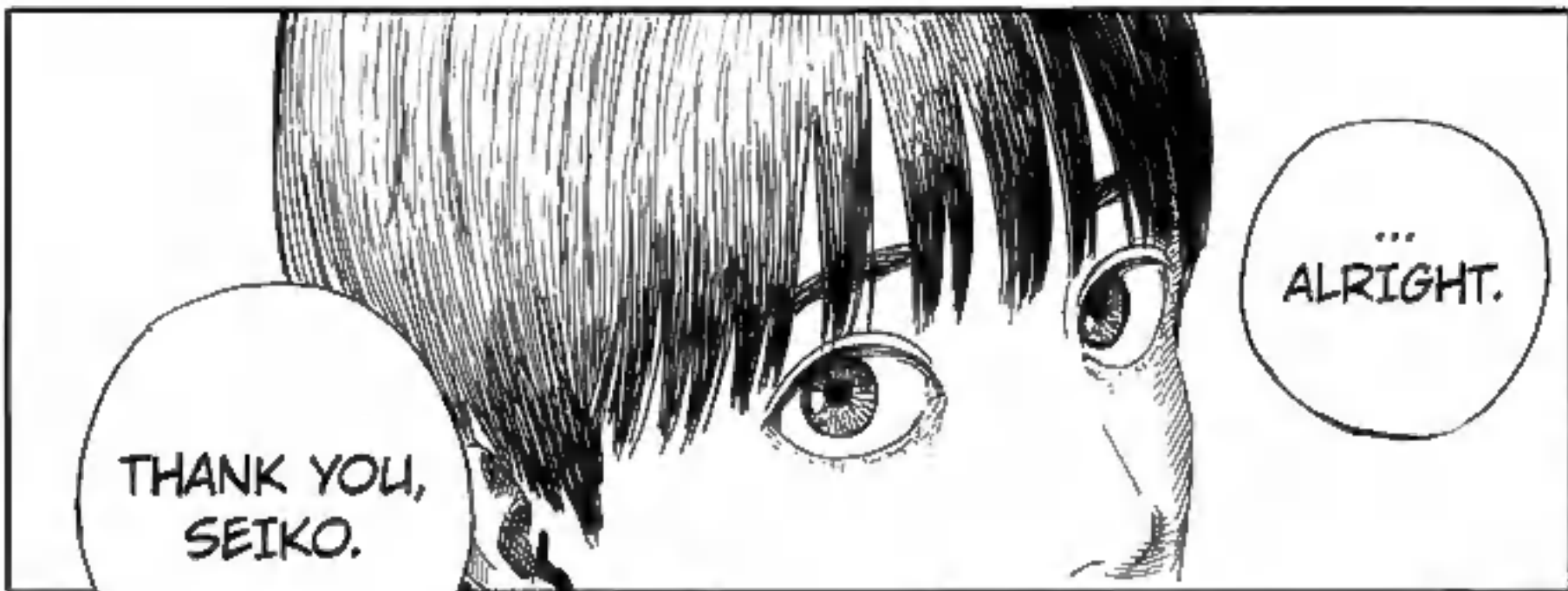
THAT'S
RIGHT...











BUT MOMMY WAS THE ONE THAT PUSHED HIM OFF THE CLIFF... WHY IS SHE WISHING SO HARD FOR HIS MEMORY TO RETURN?!

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